



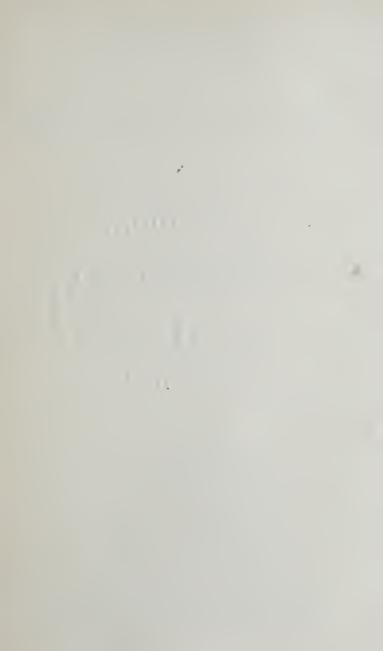
BULLETINS

AND

OTHER STATE INTELLIGENCE

FOR THE YEAR 1874.

PART I.-JANUARY TO JUNE:



BULLETINS.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 2, 1874.

Whitehall, January 1, 1874.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the undermentioned persons, and the respective heirs male of their bodies lawfully begotten:—

Edward Granville George Howard, Esq. (commonly called the Honourable Edward Granville George Howard), Admiral on the Reserved Half-pay List of Her Majesty's Fleet, by the name, style, and title of Baron Lanerton, of Lanerton, in the county of Cumberland.

The Right Honourable Sir James Moncreiff, Bart., Her Majesty's Justice-Clerk, and President of the Second Division of the Court of Session in Scotland, also one of the Senators of the College of Justice there, by the name, style, and title of Baron Moncreiff, of Tulliebole, in the county of Kinross.

The Right Honourable Sir John Duke Coleridge, Knt., Chief Justice of Her Majesty's Court 1874.

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of Common Pleas, by the name, style, and title of Baron Coleridge, of Ottery Saint

Mary, in the county of Devon.

The Right Honourable William Monsell, by the name, style, and title of Baron Emly, of Tervoe, in the county of Limerick.

Foreign Office, December 26, 1873.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Edwin Corbett, Esq., now Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires and Consul-General to the Republics of Nicaragua, Costa Rica, Honduras, and Salvador, to be Her Majesty's Minister Resident and Consul-General to those Republics.

Foreign Office, December 29, 1873.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Don Anibal Gonzales as Consul-General in

London for the Republic of the Equator.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Charles Andrew Carrol as Consul in St. Helena, to reside at Jamestown, for His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. William Richard Man as Consul at Bridgetown, Barbadoes, for His Majesty the King of

Denmark.

(H. 6100.)

Roard of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 1, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Rio, enclosing a translation of a Decree of the Brazilian Government, modifying the Customs and Anchorage Dues of that Empire.

A copy of the translation is subjoined:

MINISTRY OF FINANCE.

Decree 5,455, of November 5th, 1373, modifying various Taxes collected by the Customs

Using the authorization conferred by Art. 11, sections 1, 2, 4, 6 and 7 of the Act No. 2,348, of August 25th last, I am pleased to Decree as follows :-

Art. 1. From the 1st of January next shall cease in the Custom Houses of the Empire the collection of the additional duties of 5 per cent. created by Act No. 1,114 of September 27th, 1850, and of the percentages of 28 per cent. and 21 per cent. on the duties of consumption, established by Resolution No. 2,035 of September 23rd, 1871.

In substitution of those taxes, and until the new tariff be promulgated, there shall be levied, besides the import duties established in the tariff now in force, a percentage calculated on the amount of the said duties, in the following manner: 30 per cent. for the goods tariffed at 40 per cent. and 50 per cent.; 35 per cent. for those of class 18, now paying the percentage of 21 per cent., and 40 per cent. for all other goods. The aforesaid percentage shall be diminished gradually, in the proportion to be fixed in future Laws of Estimates.

Art. 2. From the same date the anchorage due shall become 200 reis per metric ton of the measurement, the tonnage of vessels measured in any other way being reduced to this measure, for the calculation of the impost.

Sec. 1. All foreign vessels entering ports of the Empire with or without cargo, coming or not from a foreign port, shall be liable to the payment of this impost; excepting only:

1st. Vessels enjoying exemption by virtue of

subsisting contracts.

2nd. Vessels of war.

3rd. Vessels putting in for any reason, duly proved, in accordance with the present legislation.

4th. Vessels bringing colonists to reside in the Empire, to a number exceeding 100, and of 7

years of age and above.

Cabin passengers shall not be counted in this number, nor passengers admitted to the captain's table, nor persons who for any other special reason cannot properly be considered colonists.

Sec. 2. Vessels not bringing 100 colonists but bringing at least one for every 20 metric tons, shall pay the anchorage due with the abatement of two tons for each colonist.

Sec. 3. Vessels entering in franquia or calling, in accordance with Art. 665 of the Regulation of September 11th, 1860, neither loading nor unloading, shall pay the tax of 20 reis per metric ton for each day of stay.

Sec. 4. Vessels having paid, in one or more ports, the anchorage due six times within one year, shall be exempt from the said tax through-

out the year.

Art. 3. Henceforth timber and any other articles of Brazilian production employed in the repair and fitting of foreign vessels lying in ports of the Empire, remain exempt from the payment

of export duties.

It pertains to the Inspectors of the Custom Houses of the ports wherein the vessels are under work, to concede the aforesaid exemption, save the legal appeals, and with the necessary enquiries, not only to limit the quality and quantity of the materials cleared for the purpose, but also

to see that the repairs are effected in the said

ports.

Art. 4. In the process of collection, guard and auction of salvage from vessels wrecked on the coasts of Brazil, the taxes and other expenses deducted from the proceeds of the sale shall be levied at the rate of only half the amount to which, according to the ruling legislation, the State Treasury, the judicial authorities and the employes taking part in said operations would have right.

The pay of any public force employed to guard the salvage shall not be deducted from those pro-

ceeds.

The Government shall issue, through the proper Departments, the necessary instructions for the good execution of the provisions of this Article.

Art. 5. To facilitate clearance, and whenever the press of business calls for it, the Inspectors of the Custom Houses may permit the clearers to present their clearance notes fully written out and calculated for the payment of the due duties. This circumstance, however, will not exempt the said notes from the checkings or examinations prescribed by the Regulations, nor the clearers from the fines incurred, according to the law, for differences of quality and quantity found.

Sec. 1. The notes, thus made out, and having on them a note of having been checked, signed by the Conferentes, shall go to the Section of Scripturation solely to be noted in the receipt book in the act of payment of the due duties, and shall pass immediately after the egress of the goods to the revision treated of in Art. 29, sec. 4 of the

Regulation of September 19th, 1860.

Sec. 2. The Inspectors shall permit the previous examination of packages, on the need of this being proved or alleged, in accordance with art. 22nd of Decree No. 3,217 of December 31st, 1863; and may elevate to 5 per cent., according to the circumstances of the case, the fine of 1 1/2 per cent., treated of in Art. 545, sec. 2 of the cited Regulation of September 19th, 1860, saving the provision of sec. 3 of the said Article.

Art. 6. All provisions to the contrary are

hereby revoked.

Visconde of Rio Branco, Counsellor of State, Senator of the Empire, President of the Council of Ministers, Minister and Secretary of State for Affairs of Finance and President of the Tribunal of the National Treasury, shall so understand and have executed. Palace of Rio de Janeiro November 5th, 1873, 50th of Independence and the Empire.

With the signature of H.M. the Emperor, VISCONDE DO RIO BRANCO.

(H. 34).

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 2, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at The Hague, declaring the following ports free from cholera morbus, viz.:—

The ports of Bergen since the 29th November, Genea since the 1st December, and the Austrian and Italian ports (of the Adriatic) as far as and inclusive of Otranto.

(H. 35.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 2, 1874. THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs copies of Despatches from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon, declaring the following ports free from

cholera morbus; viz.:-

The ports of Hamburg and of the River Elbe free since the 7th November; the ports of Holland since the 21st November; the ports of Havre and Rouen since the 18th November; the ports between Dieppe and Cherbourg inclusive, also the port of St. Jean de Luz; the ports of St. Peters. burgh and the other ports of Russia in the Gulf of Finland since the 9th December; and the ports of the Gulf of Riga since the 1st December (the port of Riga itself being now declared "suspected" of cholera morbus since the 1st December); the port of Venice since the 8th October; the ports of Austro-Hungary, the Danube and Turkey on the Black Sea since the 25th November; the port of Genoa since the 2nd December; the port of Rotterdam is declared "infected" with cholera morbus, and the ports of Altona and Homburg are declared "infected" and "suspected" respectively since the 16th November.

(H. 36.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 2, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Minister at Lisbon, declaring the whole of the Gold Coast from Cape Palmas to the Bight of Benin "infected" with yellow fever.

(H. 37.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 2, 1874. THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Lisbon, reporting that the Local Authorities at Madeira have determined to impose quarantine indiscriminately on all vessels coming from the Coast of Africa, even if they brought clean bills of health from all the ports they had touched at, and even if no death or sickness from yellow fever had occurred on board.

Admiralty, 29th December, 1873.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Chief Engineer Peter Greatham has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank, from the 22nd instant.

Admiralty, 30th December, 1873.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been this day placed on the Retired List of their rank:—

Lieutenants:

John William Sunderland. Jelinger Edward Symons. George Alexander Gordon Grant.

Admiralty, 1st January, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Vice-Admiral Sir Frederick W. E. Nicolson, Bart., C.B., has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank. And the following promotions consequent thereon have been made from this date:—

Rear-Admiral Edmund Heathcote to be Vice-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Captain Augustus Phillimore to be Rear-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Consequent on the foregoing, the following promotions on the Retired List, have also taken place from the same date:—

Retired Rear-Admirals:

Henry Harvey (a),
Louis Symonds Tindal,
Right Honourable Lord Frederick Herbert
Kerr,

Sir William Robert Mends, K.C.B., to be Retired Vice-Admirals.

Retired Captains:

George William Preedy, C.B., Thomas Etheridge, Frederick Lamport Barnard, to be Retired Rear-Admirals.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, and 3rd March, 1873, the undermentioned Officers have this day been placed on the Retired List:—

Paymasters:

Charles G. Burney. Frederick O. L. Patch.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury having certified to the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt, in pursuance of the Act 29 and 30 Vict., cap. 39, sec. 16, that the actual surplus revenue of the United

Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, beyond the actual expenditure thereof, for the year ended the 30th day of September, 1873, amounted to the sum of two millions two hundred and twentysix thousand seven hundred and sixty-eight

pounds three shillings and eight pence.

The Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt hereby give notice, that the sum of five hundred and fifty-six thousand six hundred and ninety-two pounds and eleven pence, being one-fourth part of the said surplus of two millions two hundred and twenty-six thousand seven hundred and sixty-eight pounds three shillings and eight pence will be applied, under the provisions of the said Act, in the quarter ending the 31st day of March, 1874, towards the reduction of the National Debt.

C. Rivers Wilson, Comptroller-General. National Debt Office, January 1, 1874.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 6, 1874.

Osborne, January 2, 1874.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty:-

His Excellency M. de la Rochefoucauld, Duc de Bisaccia, to deliver his Credentials as Ambassador from the French Republic:

To which audience he was introduced by Earl Granville, K.G., Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

Foreign Office, July 16, 1873.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint William Oswald Charlton, Esq., now Attaché to Her Majesty's Legation at Washington, to be a Third Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

Crown Office, January 3, 1874.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Cambridge.

The Honourable Eliot Constantine Yorke, of 2, Hill-street, Berkeley-square, in the place of Charles Philip Yorke (commonly called Viscount Royston), now Earl of Hardwicke, called up to the House of Peers.

Whitehall, October 8, 1873.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto William Broughton Smith, of Dunston Hall, in the parish of Chesterfield, in the county of Derby, Gentleman, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of Elizabeth Mary Smith, late of Dunston Hall aforesaid, deceased, take, use, and bear the surname of Milnes, in addition to and after that of Smith, and bear the arms of Milnes quartered with those of Smith, Milnes in the first quarter; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal license and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession

and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

(H. 11.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, N.W., January 2, 1874.

The Board of Trade have received through the the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Athens, containing a translation, into French, of a Royal Decree regarding Quarantine in Greek Ports.

An English translation of the Decree is subjoined:—

GEORGE I.

King of the Greeks.

Wishing to grant to Commerce and International Communication all facilities compatible with the interest of the public health;

On the proposition of our Minister, Secretary of State for Home Affairs, and with the advice of the Medical Council,

We have ordained and do ordain that Articles 5 and 7, of our Ordinance of the 19th July, 1866, shall be modified as follows:

ARTICLE 5.

Sec. 1. Vessels of war generally, and packet boats belonging to Companies with which the State has made and maintains postal or steam navigation arrangements, shall, if arriving from countries infected with cholera, be subjected to an effective quarantine of five days in cases where their passage has occupied fifteen entire days. If the passage has occupied more than twenty days, they shall only be subjected to a quarantine of observation for twenty-four hours. If the passage has occupied more than fifteen and less that twenty

days, the said ships shall be kept in quarantine for a sufficient number of days to make up twenty-one days since their departure from the infected

country.

If the passage has occupied less than twenty but more than seventeen days, the Health Office, taking into account the following points, viz., the size and accommodation of the port where it is established, and the comparative violence of the epidemic at the port of departure, the number of passengers and crew of the vessel arriving, the provisions for ventilation on board, and the state of health of the crew and passengers during the voyage, as shown by their declarations made in conformity with Articles 19-31, of the Sanitary Regulation, may, after taking the advice of the Sanitary Commission, either send the vessel to the proper lazaretto or authorize her to enter the port under surveillance during the days of quaratuine which have still to be undergone.

Sec. 2. Steamers and sailing vessels belonging to the mercantile marine shall, every time they arrive from countries infected with cholera, be subjected to an effective quarantine of five days, if they have been at sea more than twenty, but not more than twenty-five days. If they have been out more than twenty-five days they will only require a quarantine of observation lasting twenty-four hours. If their voyage has occupied more than twenty, but not more than twenty-five days, they shall be detained until twenty-five days have elapsed since their leaving an infected

country.

Sec. 3. In all the cases specified in the two sections above, it must be clearly understood that the steamers or other vessels have had during their voyage no communication with infected places or ships, and that the persons on board

have not been attacked by epidemic disease en route, and that they are in good health at the time of their arrival.

Sec. 4. Steamers and other vessels arriving from infected countries cannot under any circumstances pass their quarantine except in the lazarettos set apart for the purpose, or in ports where Health Offices are established with lazarettos under their jurisdiction.

ARTICLE 7.

Sec. 1. If the steamers or other vessels mentioned in Article 5 of the present Ordinance arrive from countries under suspicion of choleraic infection, then those specified in Sec. 1 shall be admitted to free pratique in case they shall have been fifteen entire days at sea, and shall besides be in the favourable conditions mentioned in Sec. 3; but in case they have been on the voyage more than ten and less than fifteen days they shall be kept in quarantine until fifteen days have elapsed since their leaving the suspected country. As for the steamers and other vessels mentioned in Sec. ?, they shall be admitted to free pratique if they have been more than twenty days at sea, and are in the favourable conditions above-mentioned. If their voyage has lasted more than fifteen, but less than twenty days, they shall be kept in quarantine until twenty days have clapsed since their departure from the suspected country.

Sec. 2. Steamers and other vessels of war arriving from suspected countries may, at the first port of call where there is a Health Office, take on board quarantine officers (gurdes sanitaires), and can then go on to any other port in the kingdom where there is a Health Office in order to pass their quarantine.

The Office of Health shall supply the officers

asked for, after having made the necessary enquiries in conformity with Arts. 19-31 of the Sanitary Regulation, and the medical visit required by Art. 81 of that regulation, in case the said vessels have not on board a proper medical man. In these cases the quarantine shall be reckoned from the day the Health Officers came on board.

Sec. 3. Merchandise coming from suspected countries shall not be subject to quarantine, but shall be landed under the surveillance of the Sanitary Authority, who will prevent the receivers of the goods from communicating with the ship in quarantine or with those on board, and who will be held responsible for any neglect of this pre-

caution.

The Royal Ordinance of December the 20th, 1866, and all other regulations which are inconsistent with the present Ordinance shall be revoked from the date of the publication of the present Ordinance.

Our Minister, Secretary of State for Home Affairs, shall provide for the publication and execution of this present Ordinance.

Athens, November the 15th, 1873.

(Signed) GEORGES.

(Countersigned) Deligeorges.

· Admiralty, 1st January, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 9th August,

Navigating Sub-Lieutenant William Russell Fox has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 18th ultimo.

Admiralty, 3rd January, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her

Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870-

Chief Inspector of Machinery Afloat James Steil has been placed on the Retired List from the 28th November, 1873.

In consequence of the above retirement, the undermentioned promotions to take place from the same date:—

Thomas Thomson Murray to be Chief Inspector of Machinery Afloat in Her Majesty's Fleet.

James Paterson to be Inspector of Machinery Afloat in Her Majesty's Fleet.

William Charles Beck to be Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

War Office, Pall Mall, 6th January, 1874.

- 1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Sub-Lieutenant John Alexander to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1872.
- 5th Dragoon Guards, Sub-Lieutenant John Oswald Lambert to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1871.
 - 6th Dragoon Guards, Sub-Lieutenant Charles George Hammond to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1871.
 - 7th Dragoon Guards, Sub-Lieutenant Charles Lucius Brooke to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1871.
 - 6th Dragoons, Sub-Lieutenant Andrew Green Thompson to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1871.
 - Lieutenant Patrick John Waldron, from the 1st or South Tipperary Artillery Militia, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant C.

- R. Taaffe, transferred to the 16th Lancers. Dated 7th January, 1874.
- 12th Lancers, Sub-Lieutenant George Henry Dean to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1872.
- 13th Hussars, Sub-Lieutenant Charles Stuart Wheler to be Lieutenant, dated 23rd March, 1872, but his Commission in the Army to bear date 30th December, 1871.
- Paymaster and Honorary Captain John Fitz-Gerald, from the 91st Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Honorary Major G. Elliott, appointed Paymaster for Army Services. Dated 16th September, 1873.
- 15th Hussars, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Sir Frederick W. J. FitzWygram, Bart., retires upon half-pay. Dated 7th January, 1874.
- 18th Hussars, The commission as Adjutant of Lieutenant Richard Knox to be antedated to the 22nd August, 1872.
- 19th Hussars, Captain Abel Henry Chapman retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commisson. Dated 7th January, 1874.
- Sub-Lieutenant Alexander Mitchell Taylor to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1871.
- 3rd Foot, Captain Edward Charlton Dickson retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 7th January, 1874.
- 6th Foot, Captain Patrick Albert Howley retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 7th January, 1874.
- 15th Foot, Lieutenant George Edward Ryan retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 7th January, 1874.

- 23rd Foot, Lieutenant Osmond de Beauvoir Carey, from the 24th Foot, to be Lieutenaut, vice J. C. Bradshaw, promoted. Dated 7th January, 1874.
- 24th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Charles Walter Cavaye to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1872.
- 27th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Arthur Henry Grant to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1871.
- 34th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Arnold Hyde Noel Urquhart Champion to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1871.
- 44th Foot, The surname of the Sub-Lieutenant appointed in the Gazette of the 23rd February, 1872, is Sherard, and not Sherrard, as then stated.
- 47th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Charles Vaughan Trotter to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1871.
- 60th Foot, Robert Erskine Wade Cepland-Crawford, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant J. T. D. Crosbie, promoted. Dated 7th January, 1874.
- 66th Foot, Lieutenant William Hamilton McMath being no longer a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps, has been ordered to rejoin his Regiment. Dated 7th January, 1874.
- 67th Foot, Lieutenant John Patrick Somers Coeks retires from Service, receiving the value of an Ensigney. Dated 7th January, 1874.
- 70th Foot, Captain George Frederick Green, about to be appointed to the Militia, retires upon halfpay. Dated 7th January, 1874.
- 82nd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Robert Howden Kellie to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1872.

- 90th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant George William Hutchinson to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1873.
- 101st Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Henry Hare to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1871.
- 102nd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Edmund George Barrow to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1871.
- 103rd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Henry Charles Barton Gray to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1871.
- 1st West India Regiment, Sub-Lieutenant Henry Hollingworth Harward to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1871.

Sub-Lieutenant Hubert Heherden Spitta to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1871.

Sub-Lieutenant Edwin Wynne Hughes to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1871.

Sub-Lieutenant Lewis Burke to be Lieutenant. Dated 19th October, 1872.

CONTROL DEPARTMENT.

Supply and Transport Sub-Department, Deputy-Commissary Archibald Robertson Gibbs has been cashiered by sentence of a General Court Martial. Dated 17th December, 1873.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon-Major Augustus Frederick Turner retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 1st December, 1873.

Surgeon Matthew Joseph Ryan retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 22nd November,

1873.

Surgeon Samuel Doake, M.D., retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 26th November, 1873.

Surgeon Thomas Wood, M.D., retires upon

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temporary half-pay. Dated 1st December, 1873.

Surgeon Joseph John Pope retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 1st December, 1873.

Surgeon Howison Young Howison, M.D. retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 4th December, 1873.

VETERINARY DEPARTMENT.

Acting Veterinary-Surgeon Herbert Batchelor to be Veterinary-Surgeon. Dated 3rd August, 1872.

CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT.

Chaplain of the Fourth Class the Reverend F. O'Callaghan to be Chaplain of the Third Class. Dated 29th December, 1873.

BREVET.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Worgan Festing, Royal Marine Artillery, to be Colonel. Dated 7th January, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles William Miles, Bengal Staff Corps, having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonel. Dated 7th July, 1873.

Paymaster and Honorary Captain John James Bailey, 3rd Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 6th November, 1873.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 5th December, 1873, of Lieutenant-General William James D'Urban, Colonel of the 107th Foot:—

Major-General Henry Richmond Jones, C.B., Colonel of the 6th Dragoon Guards, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 6th December, 1873.

Brevet Colonel William Clarke, from Major, half-pay Unattached, to be Major-General,

dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 6th December, 1873.

Major Hugh D'Arcy P. Burnell, 7th Hussars, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 6th December, 1873.

Captain Edward Feneran, 48th Foot, to be Major. Dated 6th December, 1873.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 13th December, 1873, of General Sir Patrick Edmonstone Craigie, K.C.B., Colonel of the 55th Foot:—

Lieutenant-General Simcoe Baynes, Colonel of the 35th Foot, to be General. Dated 14th December, 1873.

Major-General Auchmuty Tucker, C.B., Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 14th December, 1873.

Brevet Colonel Henry James Stannus, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, late 20th Hussars, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 14th December, 1873.

Major Herbert Gauntlett Panter, 22nd Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 14th December, 1873.

Captain Arthur Collett Nightingale, 93rd Foot, to be Major. Dated 14th December, 1873.

MEMORANDUM.

Paymaster and Honorary Major George Elliott, from the 13th Hussars, to be Paymaster for army services. Dated 2nd June, 1873.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Berks.

William Hew Dunn, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 29th December, 1873.

Treasury Chambers, January 5, 1874.

THE Secretary of State for the Home Department, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby gives notice, that the following situations under the Home Office are added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870; viz.:—

Reformatory Agent.

Housekeeper at the Office of the Inspector of Reformatories.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 9, 1874.

St. James's Palace, January 9, 1874.

HER Royal Highness The Princess Beatrice was Confirmed yesterday at Whippingham Church, Isle of Wight, by His Grace The Archbishop of Canterbury, in the presence of Her Majesty The Queen, and of Their Royal Highnesses The Prince of Wales, The Prince Arthur, The Prince Leopold, and The Prince and The Princess Christian of Schleswig Holstein (Princess Helena of Great Britain and Ireland).

Crown Office, January 8, 1874.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Stroud.

John Edward Dorington the younger, of Lypiatt

Park, Stroud, in the county of Gloucester, Esq., in the place of Henry Selfe Page Winter-botham, Esq., deceased.

(H. 125.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 6, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Bosna Serai, stating that the quarantine at Brood and other places on the banks of the Save has been been removed, except for arrivals from a part of Croatia, near Bihah, where cholera is still said to exist.

(H. 126.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 6, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majcsty's Consul at Syra, stating that he has received a letter from the Nomarch of the Cyclades, announcing that the quarantine on arrivals from Antwerp, Trieste, Fiume, and all Austrian coasts, Venice, Salonica, and Athos, has been removed.

(H. 127.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 6, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at the Hague, stating that in consequence of the cessation of cholera, vessels which left Königsberg after the 8th December last, and Naples after the 15th December last, will be free from quarantine on arriving in any port of the Netherlands.

(H. 128.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 6, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon, stating that the ports of Stettin, Dantzig, Elbing, Königsberg, and the other ports of Prussia in the Baltic are declared free from cholera since the 20th October last; the port of Antwerp is declared "suspected" of cholera morbus since the 13th December last; the Ilha do Sal (Cape de Verds) is declared free from yellow fever since the 6th December last.

(H. 129.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 6, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Acting Consul at Rustchuk, stating that the quarantine hitherto in force at that place against arrivals from Austro-Hungary and the Principalities was abolished on the 18th December last, and that the route to Constantinople, via Bucharest and Rustchuk, is once more open.

(H. 148.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 7, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Athens, stating that arrivals in Greek ports from Trieste are no longer subjected to quarantine, and that arrivals from Antwerp, Venice, Salonica, and Mount Athos are also admitted to free pratique.

(H. 150.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 8, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Caracas, containing a copy of a Resolution of the President of the Republic of Venezuela, relative to a tax to be levied on ships arriving at Barcelona, for the maintenance of a Light Apparatus at that Port. A translation of the Resolution is appended.

(Translation.)

United States of Venezuela, Ministry of Finance, 4th Section, Caracas, November 27th, 1873.

The National Executive taking into considera-

1st. That the establishment of lighthouses at those points of the coast which are dangerous for ships making the land, is expedient for the interests of maritime commerce.

2nd. That although the law relating to the subject now in force does not include Barcelona amongst the ports designated for the levying of the tax for lighthouses, a small apparatus intended for affording provisionally that service has just been established there, the payment of the monthly expense which it occasions having been simultaneously ordered; and

3rd, That the general Government proposes to construct at the said port, as soon as possible, a permanent lighthouse with the dimensions and solidity which the importance of its object requires.

Resolves:

Native as well as foreign vessels which enter the port of Barcelona, with or without cargo, arriving from abroad, shall pay the tax for lighthouses established by the Law XXIII of the Code of Finance.

This resolution shall begin to take effect from the day the Custom House of Barcelona receives it.

That it be-communicated and published.

For the President of the Republic,

(Signed) GUITICOA.

A true copy, the Provisional Secretary, (Signed) Luis Gerónimo Alfonzo.

(S. & C. 30.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, January 8, 1874.

BY a Decree of the French Government, published in the Journal Officiel of the 31st December last, additional duties are imposed on certain imported articles, as follows:—

1. The duty on sugar is increased by 4 per

cent.

2. The Customs tariff as regards petroleum and similar mineral oils, is thus fixed:—Refined oil, of 800 degrees of density or more, at a temperature of 15 degrees (Centigrade), 37 francs per 100 kilogrammes; essence, of 700 degrees of density or less, at a temperature of 15 degrees (Centigrade), 47 francs per 100 kilogrammes. As regards such oils imported in a raw state, the duties will be levied on each of the constituent quantities of pure oil and of essence as follows:—For 100 kilogrammes of pure oil, of 800 degrees of density at a temperature of 15 degrees

(Centigrade), 37 francs; for 100 kilogrammes of essence, of 700 degrees of density at a temperature of 15 degrees (Centigrade), 40 francs. When the density of oils imported otherwise than in a raw condition is found to be between 800 and 700 degrees, the duty of 37 francs will be augmented by 10 centimes per degree under 800 degrees.

3. In consequence of the imposition of an excise duty on soap of home production, foreign soap will be subject on importation to an equivalent compensatory duty of 5 francs per 100 kilogrammes. Duty will be returned on soap ex-

ported.

4. The import duty on stearic acid is fixed at 5 per cent. on the value, and on tapers and candles with twisted or plaited wicks, which have undergone chemical preparation, 10 per cent. A compensatory duty of 25 francs per 100 kilogrammes will be levied on the same articles in addition to the import duty. An equivalent drawback will be allowed on these articles upon exportation.

Admiralty, 5th January, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Philip Francis has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Admiralty, -7th January, 1874.

The undermentioned Officers have this day been promoted to the rank of Navigating Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

William Barnston Meade. Walter Neilson Goalen. Charles Henry Stuart Douglas. William Tooker. William Henry Petley.

Henry Harkan, Esq., has been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, from the 31st December, 1873.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 13, 1874.

Board of Green Cloth, January 1, 1874.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint William John, Lord Monson, to be Treasurer of Her Majesty's Household, in the room of Lord Poltimore, resigned.

St. James's Palace, January 1, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Henry Edward, Earl of Ilchester, to be Captain of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentleman-at-Arms, in the room of Francis Thomas de Grey, Earl Cowper, K.G., resigned.

Whitehall, January 12, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Archibald A. Campbell to the United Churches and Parishes of Crathie and Braemar, in the presbytery of Kincardine O'Neil, and county of Aberdeen, vacant by the translation of Doctor Malcolm Campbell Taylor to the church of Morningside, in the presbytery of Edinburgh.

Crown Office, January 12, 1874.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Somerset.
Western Division.

Vaughan Hanning Lee, of Lanelay, in the parish of Llanbarran, in the county of Glamorgan, Esq., in the place of William Henry Powell Gore-Langton, Esq., deceased.

Whitehall, January 12, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Robert Burn, of Clifton-place, in the parish of Saint James, Paddington, in the county of Middlesex, Gentleman, and Isabella, his wife, eldest daughter and co-heir of James Blyth, late of Hyde Park-gardens, in the said county, and of Woolhampton House, in the county of Berks, Esquire, deceased, Her Royal Licence and Authority that they and their issue may (in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of the said James Blyth) take and henceforth use the surname of Blyth, in addition to and after that of Burn:

And also to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms.

(H. 198.)

Board of Trade, Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 9, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for the Colonies a copy of a Despatch from the Governor of the Straits Settlements, stating that owing to the prevalence of cholera in a malignant form in Batavia, ships arriving from that port were detained subject to quarantine, by an Order of the Governor in Council, dated 7th November last. A copy of the regulations as embodied in the Order in Council is subjoined:—

1. Every vessel arriving at any of the ports of the colony from Batavia, shall hoist the usual quarantine or yellow flag at the main-masthead, and shall remain outside the limits of the port till visited by the Health Officer and admitted to

communicate with the port.

2. On the arrival of every such vessel the Health Officer of the Port, or his Deputy, shall forthwith proceed on board, and shall examine into the state of health of the passengers and crew; and, if it shall appear to him after enquiry, that no case of cholera has occurred on board the vessel within ten days, he may, after twenty-four hours' observation, and subject to the control of the Governor, admit such vessel to free communication with the port and Settlement.

If it shall appear that any case of cholera has occurred on board any such vessel within ten days the vessel shall be taken to the quarantine anchorage and there detained without communication with the shore or with other vessels till ten days after the latest case may have happened on

board.

3. In all cases the Post Office packets and mails in any such vessels shall be forthwith delivered, and subjected to such fumigation or other prevention process as the Health Officer of the Port may

4. Coals and cargo may be shipped on and

4. Coals and cargo may be shipped on and landed from vessels, immediately on their arrival, in which no case of cholera may have occurred

within ten days.

5. The quarantine burial ground will be Peak Island.

By command,
(Signed) E. A. IRVING,
Clerk of the Councils.

(H. 219.)

Board of Trade, (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 10, 187:.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Athens, stating that arrivals in Greek ports from Genoa have been admitted to free pratique since the 26th December last.

(S. & C. 35.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, January 12, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Decree of the Spanish Government (supplementary to the Decree of which notice was inserted in the London Gazette of the 31st October last) fixing a fiscal zone of 11 kilometres, extending towards the provinces occupied by the Carlist forces, with regard to the new Custom-houses established in place of those which cannot be used in such provinces. Within that space the railroads and highroads, general and provincial, which lead directly to the Custom-houses will alone be considered as the means of free circulation, and any introduction of goods by any other roads will be considered fraudulent.

(S. & C. 37.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, January 12, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a French Law, dated the 31st December last, establishing an augmentation of the taxes upon drinks, and oils other than mineral. The following is a translation of the principal provisions of the law:

The import duty on wine, cider, perry, and hydromel, will be levied conformably to the following tariff:—

Duty Per hectolitre of Cider, Perry, and Hydronnel.			0	0	0	-		15 1 35	-
Duty per hectolitre of Wine in Casks and in Bottles in the Departments	Of the 4th Class.	f. c	6 0	ლ 	ж -				
	Of the 3rd Class.	f. c.	0 75	1 15	1 50	1 90		2 65	0 8
	Of the 2nd Class.	f. c.	09 0	05 0	1 20	1 50	1 80	2 10	
	Of the 1st Class.	f. c.	0 45	0 70	06 0	1 15	1 35	1 60	1 80
Total Population of Communes.			From 4,000 to 6,000	" 6,001 to 10,000	,, 10,001 to 15,000	" 15,001 to 20,000	40	5	" 50,001 and above

On oils of every kind, except mineral oils, which shall be introduced into or manufactured in communes having at least a total population of 4,000, a duty will be levied conformably to the following tariff:—

Total Population of Communes.	Oils and other liquids capable of being used as Oil, with the exception of Mineral Oils.					
From 4,000 to 10,000 ,, 10,001 to 26,000 ,, 20,001 to 50,000 ,, 50,001 to 100,000 ,, above 100,000	per 100 kil. 6 frs. 7 ,, 8 ,, 10 ,, 12 ,,					

Admiralty, 12th January, 1874.

Royal Marines.

The undermentioned promotion and appointment have taken place in the Royal Marine Light Infantry; viz.:—

Lieutenant and Assistant Musketry Instructor Sydney Vere Alston, of the Chatham Division, to be Captain at the Portsmouth Division, vice Savary, retired. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Admiralty, 9th January, 1874.

George Frederick Augustus Drew, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in Her Majcsty's Fleet, with seniority of 13th December, 1873.

Mr. William Henry Green has this day been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 10th January, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Chief Engineer Richard Williamson has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 3rd March, 1873—

Assistant-Paymaster Edward Alfred Smith has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 15th October, 1873.

Admiralty, 12th January, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Admiral Sir Sydney Colpoys Dacres, G.C.B., has been placed on the Retired List from the 10th instant.

Admiralty, 12th January, 1874.

Lieutenant Arthur Dalrymple Fanshawe has been promoted to the rank of Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 5th instant, in the haul-down vacancy of Vice-Admiral Edward Gennys Fanshawe, C.B., late Commander-in-Chief of Her Majesty's Ships and Vessels on the North America and West India Station.

War Office, 13th January, 1874.

MILITIA.

Cornwall Rangers.

Lieutenant the Honourable Walter Warwick Vivian resigns his Commission. Dated 14th January, 1874.

Horace Alfred Groom, Gent., to be Sub Lieu-

tenant. Dated 14th January, 1874.

2nd or North Durham.

Captain William James Voules, half-pay, late 7th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 24th December, 1873.

Essex Rifles.

Sub-Lieutenant Burton Osborne Hilliard resigns his Commission. Dated 14th January, 1874.

Royal Glamorgan.

Quartermaster Francis Goodfellow resigns his Commission, and is placed on a retired allowance. Dated 14th January, 1874.

Royal Glamorgan Artillery.

The services of Lieutenant Thomas Hughes Ford Davies are dispensed with. Dated 14th January, 1874.

Royal North Gloucester.

Lieutenant Charles Eldridge Tizard resigns his Commission. Dated 14th January, 1874.

Hertford.

Major James John Gape resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 14th January, 1874.

East Kent.

Lieutenant the Honourable Morton William North resigns his Commission. Dated 14th January, 1874.

6th Royal Lancashire.

Captain and Adjutant Richard Molesworth resigns his Commission, and is placed on a retired allowance. Dated 31st December, 1873.

Royal North Lincoln.

Lieutenant-Colonel the Right Honourable William John, Lord Monson, is granted the honorary rank of rank of Colonel. Dated 14th January, 1874.

Major Robert John Taylor is granted the honorary of Lieutenant - Colonel. Dated 14th

January, 1874.

4th or Royal South Middlesex.

John Francis Green, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th January, 1874.

Royal Monmouth.

Lieutenant Thomas Robert Oakley resigns his Commission. Dated 14th January, 1874.

1st Somerset.

Lieutenant Reginald George Harvey Faithfull resigns his Commission. Dated 14th January, 1874.

1st Royal Surrey.

Lieutenant Arthur Augustus Helyer Webster Wedderburne resigns his Commission. Dated 14th January, 1874.

William Arthur Hoare Smith, Gent., to be Sub-

Lieutenant. Dated 14th January, 1874.

2nd Royal Tower Hamlets.

Stewart Holcombe Rusbridger, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 14th January, 1874.

Royal Wiltshire.

Captain Walter Hume resigns his Commission. Dated 14th January, 1874.

East York.

Lieutenant Arthur John Adams, from the Cambridge Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th January, 1874.

Royal Ayr and Wigtown.

Lieutenant John Morton Mathie Morton to be Captain. Dated 14th January, 1874.

Argyll and Bute Artillery.

James Thomas Nichol, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 17th December, 1873.

Highland Borderers Light Infantry.

Licutenant James Ramsay Campbell resigns his Commission. Dated 12th November, 1873.

The Highland Light Infantry.

For, Captain William Mayrick Bankes to be Major, dated 28th May, 1873, as notified in the London Gazette of 27th May, 1873,

Read, Captain William Meyrich Bankes to be Major.

Alexander Æneas Mackintosh, of Mackintosh, to be Captain. Dated 31st December, 1873.

The Highland Rifle.

Harry Wright, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th January, 1874.

Carlow.

Lieutenant Joseph Watkins William Darley resigns his Commission. Dated 14th January, 1874.

Clare.

Edward Hugh Robert Crofton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th January, 1874.

William Godfrey Robinson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th January, 1874.

South Cork.

Alfred Charles Donovan, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 14th January, 1874.

Royal North Down.

Lieutenant Samuel Kennedy Cowan to be Captain. Dated 14th January, 1874.

Lieutenant Henry Pottinger Gordon to be Captain. Dated 14th January, 1874.

Limerick County.

Captain Bryan Edward Sheehy is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 14th January, 1874.

Royal Tyrone Fusiliers.

Thomas Graves Lowry Herbert-Armstrong, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th January, 1874.

Waterford Artillery.

Gerald Bagnall, Gent., to Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th January, 1874.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Cheshire.

Lieutenant Henry James Tollemache to be Cap-

tain, vice the Honourable Edward Kenyon, resigned. Dated 14th January, 1874.

Derbyshire.

Lieutenant John Huish to be Captain, vice Chandos-Pole, deceased. Dated 14th January, 1874.

Warwickshire.

The Honourable Gilbert Henry Chandos Leigh to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 14th January, 1874.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 16, 1874.

St. James's Palace, January 14, 1874.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint James Bontein, Esq., to be one of the Grooms of the Privy Chamber in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of Arthur Johnstone Blackwood, Esq., deceased.

Whitehall, January 14, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Gillespie Dickson, Esq., Advocate, to be Sheriff of the Shire or Sheriffdom of Lanark, in the room of Henry Glassford Bell, Esq., deceased.

Whitehall, January 14, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Charles Carthew, Esq., who is actually and entirely employed in the service of His Imperial Majesty the Sultan beyond the Queen's dominions, and who in the year 1861 received Her Majesty's permission to accept and wear the Insignia of the Fifth Class of the Imperial Order of the Medjidie, Her Majesty's Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Fourth Class of the said Imperial Order of the Medjidie, which the Sultan hath been pleased to confer upon him.

By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so "much of two Acts made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present "Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of the "House of Commons to issue his Warrant to "the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs for the election of Members to serve in Par-"liament, in the manner therein mentioned, and "for substituting other provisions for the like "purposes;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define "the time for proceeding to Election during the "Recess."

I do hereby give notice, that it hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament, that the Right Honourable William Monsell, late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the county of Limerick, is become a Pcer of the United Kingdom, and that a writ of Summons

hath been issued to him under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom to summon him to Parliament, and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for said county, at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this fourteenth day of January, 1874.

JOHN BONHAM-CARTER,

being one of the Members nominated, appointed, and authorized by Mr. Speaker, by an instrument in writing, under his hand and seal, dated the eleventh day of August, 1869, pursuant to the said Act of George III. to execute all and singular the powers given to the Speaker of the House of Commons for the time being, for issuing Warrants to the Clerk of the Crown, in cases as in the said Act specified, during the recess of the House of Commons, and Mr. Speaker being at this present time absent from the realm.

(H. 331.)

Board of Trade, (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 14, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Athens, stating that on the 2nd instant it was decided to admit arrivals in Greek ports from Brindisi to free pratique.

(H. 381.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 15, 1874. THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon, stating that the port of Naples has been declared free from cholera morbus since the 15th December last.

(H. 385.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 15, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Agent and Consul-General at Cairo, stating that the quarantine on arrivals in Egypt from Italy had been removed since the 25th December last.

Admiralty, 13th January, 1874.

Paymaster Charles George Burney who was placed on the Retired List on the 1st instant, has been allowed to assume the rank of Paymaster-in-Chief from that date.

Mr. Joseph Walsh has this day been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's

Fleet.

Admiralty, 14th January, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 3rd March, 1873 —

Mr. George Loder Miller has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Admiralty, 15th January, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 3rd March, 1873—

Assistant Paymaster William Webb Backwell has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 15th ultimo.

Admiralty, 15th January, 1874. Royal Naval Artillery Volunteers. London Corps.

Thomas Brassey, Esq., to be Lieutenant-Commanding. Dated 25th November, 1873.

Mr. Alfred Sebastian Boom to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 26th November, 1873.

Mr. Francis David Cuninghame Strettell to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 26th November, 1873.

Mr. Francis Hepburn Chevallier Boutell to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 26th November, 1873. Mr. Charles Cooper to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated

26th November, 1873.

St. Vincent Nepean, Esq., Retired Commander, Royal Navy, to be Lieutenant Instructor. Dated 16th December, 1873.

War Office, Pall Mall, 16th January, 1874.

4th Regiment of Dragoon Guards.

Lieutenant-General Sir Edward Cooper Hodge, K.C.B., from the 18th Hussars, to be Colonel, vice General Sir James Charles Chatterton, Bart., G.C.B., deceased. Dated 6th January, 1874.

7th Regiment of Dragoon Guards.

Major-General Robert Wardlaw, C.B., to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Lord George Augustus Frederick Paget, K.C.B., to the 4th Hussars. Dated 7th January, 1874.

4th Regiment of Hussars.

Lieutenant - General Lord George Augustus Frederick Paget, K.C.B., from the 7th Dragoon Guards, to be Colonel, vice General William Lennox Lascelles FitzGerald, Lord de Ros, deceased. Dated 7th January, 1874.

18th Regiment of Hussars.

Major-General Sir Thomas Westropp M'Mahon, Bart., CB., to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Sir Edward Cooper Hodge, K.C.B, to the 4th Dragoon Guards. Dated 6th January, 1874.

101st Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General Corbet Cotton to be Colonel, vice General Sir Abraham Roberts, G.C.B., deceased. Dated 29th December, 1873.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 20, 1874.

Whitehall, January 17, 1874.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint the Most Noble Francis Charles Hastings, Duke of Bedford, to be Custos Rotulorum of the Isle of Ely, in the room of Charles Watson Townley, Esq., resigned.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint Charles Watson Townley, Esq., to be Lieutenant and Custos Rotulorum of the County of Cambridge, in the room of Charles Philip, Earl of

Hardwicke, deceased.

(M. 855.)

Marine Department, Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, January 17, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Lima, stating that the Government of Peru had agreed to adopt on board Peruvian merchant vessels the signals of distress and the signals for pilots set forth in Schedules 1 and 2 of "The Merchant Shipping Acts Amendment Act, 1873."

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 16, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received a letter from Her Majesty's Consul at Pernambuco, stating that on the 30th of December last, both yellow fever and small-pox continued to be epidemic in that port and city.

Admiralty, 17th January, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Commander Henry Stair Sandys has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Lieutenant Chester Jones has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Admiralty, 19th January, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Rear-Admiral George Henry Richards, C.B., F.R.S., has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

And the following promotion consequent thereon has been made from the same date:—

Captain William Charles Chamberlain to be Rear-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Consequent on the foregoing, the following promotions on the Retired List, have also taken place from the same date:—

Retired Captains:

James Edward Katon,
Edward Westby Vansittart, C.B.,
William Abdy Fellowes,
John James Kennedy, C.B.,
Henry Coryton,
John Barling Marsh,
to be Rear-Admirals on the Retired List.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, and 4th August, 1873, the undermentioned Commanders have been placed on the Retired List, from the 1st October last, with permission to assume the rank of Retired Captain:—

Commanders:

Henry Joseph Challis. Henry Knox Leet. John Conyngham Patterson. Thomas Keith Hudson.

And the following Commanders have been placed on the Retired List of their rank from the same date:—

Commanders:

Honourable James Terence Fitzmaurice. Robert Pitman. Robert Hepburn Swinton. Arthur Cowburn. The following Lieutenants have also been placed on the Retired List from the same date, with permission to assume the rank of Retired Commander:—

Lieutenants:

William Henry Bond.
Henry James Fairlie.
William Henry Lewin.
William Frederick Murray.
Walter Leigh Bamber.
Clement Laprimandaye.
Philip Thomas Richards.
John Henry O'Brien.
Henry Sanford Tilson Chowne.
Keppel Garnier.
Robert Thomas Brudenell Bruce.

And the following Officer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the same date:—

Lieutenant Arthur Hervey Byng.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of 5th February, 1872, and 4th August, 1873, the following Sub-Lieutenants have been placed on the Retired List of their rank from the same date:—

Sub-Lieutenants:

Charles William Hicks.
Francis Hall Logan.
Frederick Falkland Henderson.
Philip Ernest Cresswell.
Charles Skelton Nicholson.
Nelson Styleman Girdlestone.

The retirement of Lieutenant John Hugh Bainbridge with the rank of Retired Commander, notified in the London Gazette of 19th November last, has been cancelled. In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Commander George D. C. Henderson has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 28th November last.

War Office, Pall Mall, 20th January, 1874.

- 1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Captain William Edward Chapman, about to be appointed to the Militia, retires on half-pay. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 2nd Dragoon Guards, Sub-Lieutenant Foster Cunliffe Lister Kay to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1871.
- Sub-Lieutenant Arthur Lewis George Gould to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1873.
- The second Christian name of Riding-Master Jones is Henry.
- 3rd Dragoon Guards, Sub-Lieutenant William Frederic Hamilton Yatman to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd April, 1873, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to bear date 30th December, 1871.
- 4th Dragoon Guards, Sub-Lieutenant Robert John Abdy to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1873.
- 5th Dragoon Guards, The appointment to a Sub-Lieutenancy on 12th November, 1873, of Edward Cyrill Newcome, Gent., is cancelled. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 6th Dragoon Guards, The appointment to a Cornetcy of John Francis Upton Gaskell, Gent., which appeared in the Gazette of 27th October, 1874.

1871, to bear date 28th October, 1871, instead of 29th October, 1871, such antedate not to carry back pay.

Sub-Lieutenant John Francis Upton Gaskell to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th October, 1871.

- William Arthur Ince Anderton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice W. Scott, transferred to the 16th Lancers. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 1st Dragoons, Captain Arthur Mesham retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 2nd Dragoons, Sub-Lieutenant William Francis Firmstone to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th October, 1871.
- Sub-Lieutenant John William McClintock Bunbury to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1871.
- 3rd Hussars, Sub-Lieutenant William Charles Owen to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1871.
- 8th Hussars, Lieutenant Sir William Eden, Bart., retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 9th Lancers, Sub-Licutenant John James Scott Chisholme to be Licutenant. Dated 10th January, 1872.
- Sub-Lieutenant the Honourable George William Gilbert Russell to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th October, 1873.
- 13th Hussars, Sub-Lieutenant Belford Randolph Wilson to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th January, 1874.
- 14th Hussars, The appointment to a Cornetcy of the Honourable Hugh George Gough, which appeared in the Gazette of 27th October, 1871, to bear date 28th October, 1871, instead of

29th October, 1871, such antedate not to carry

back pay.

Sub-Lieutenant the Honourable Hugh George Gough to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th October, 1871.

- Sub-Lieutenant Augustus John English to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1873.
- 15th Hussars, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Edward Swindley to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel Sir F. W. J. FitzWygram, Bart., retired on half-pay. Dated 7th January, 1874.

Captain David Maxwell to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Swindley. Dated 7th Jan-

uary, 1874.

Lieutenant Rochfort Hamilton Rochfort-Boyd to be Captain, vice G. J. H. Pearson, retired. Dated 24th December, 1873.

Lieutenant John M'Bryan to be Captain, vice

Maxwell. Dated 7th January, 1874.

- 19th Hussars, Lieutenant Henry Hall to be Captain, vice A. H. Chapman, retired. Dated 7th January, 1874.
- Coldstream Guards, Douglas Frederick Rawdon Dawson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant the Honourable Alfred Walter Charteris, deceased. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 3rd Foot, Captain and Brevet Major Clifford Parsons to be Major, vice Brevet Colonel Mark Walker, V.C., promoted in 45th Foot. Dated 10th December, 1873.

Lieutenant Arthur William Hill Geiston to be Captain, vice Brevet Major Parsons. Dated

10th December, 1873.

Lieutenant Herbert Stoddart Neild to be Captain,

- vice E. C. Dickson, retired. Dated 7th January, 1874.
- 4th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant John Rowlandson to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th January, 1872.
- 5th Foot, Lieutenant William Bevington Knox to be Captain, vice F. H. D. Brome, deceased. Dated 27th November, 1873.
- 6th Foot, Captain Henry Peaseley L'Estrange St. George, from half-pay, late 3rd West India Regiment, to be Captain, vice P. A. Howley, retired on temporary half-pay. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- Lieutenant Henry Wemyss Magee retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 7th Foot, Captain William Horace Wilson, from the 87th Foot, to be Captain, vice W. J. Voules, retired on temporary half-pay. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 13th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Bryan Palmes to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th January, 1872.
- 14th Foot, Lieutenant James Reid to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant H. McLeod Hutchison, promoted. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 17th Foot, Lieutenant Francis Edward Knowles Bird retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigncy. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 18th Foot, Lieutenant George William Nesbit Rogers to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant T. B. Meredith, promoted. Dated 8th November, 1873.
- 21st Foot, Lieutenant Louis Arnold Armit retires from the Scrvice, receiving the value of an Ensigncy. Dated 21st January, 1874.

- 26th Foo', Lieutenant Vivian Davenport retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 2!st January, 1874.
- 27th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant John Cave Bayly to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1873.
- 32nd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Herbert Richard Saunders to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1872.
- 37th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Charles Hamilton Des Vœux to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th January, 1872.
- 39th Foot, Lieutenant Edward Bruce receives the value of an Ensigney, on final transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 41st Foot, Lieutenant Edward Vyvyan Huyshe ceases to be a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps, having proceeded to England on medical certificate. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- Lieutenant William Potter Newall receives the value of his Commission, on final transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 43rd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant John George Cockburn Curtis to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1871.
- 44th Foot, Serjeant-Major Cornelius McCarthy to be Quartermaster, vice W. Hart-McHarg, transferred to a Brigade Depôt. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 45th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Edward Cecil Dowse to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1871.
- 46th Foot, Lieutenant George William Truscott Martin resigns his Commission as Adjutant. Dated 21st January, 1874.

- 48th Foot, Captain Christopher Rawes Durrant retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 49th Foot, Captain Edward Foot Gilbert retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 54th Foot, Lieutenant James Hearn Tarleton to be Captain, vice M. W. E. Gosset, made Supernumerary on being appointed an Instructor at the Royal Military College. Dated 1st September, 1873.
- Captain John Augustus Tighe, from half-pay, late Ceylon Rifle Regiment, to be Captain, vice Brevet Major C. A. Thomson, promoted halfpay Major. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 55th Foot, Captain Cotton Edwin Theobald retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 56th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Alexander Pringle to be Lieutenant, dated 26th February, 1873, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to bear date 30th December, 1872.
- 57th Foot, Lieutenant Richard Woodroofe Graham, from the North Tipperary Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- Malcolm Thomas Lyde, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 21st January, 1874:
- 60th Foot, Lieutenant Walter Cowan to be Captain, vice William Norcott Manners, deceased. Dated 12th November, 1873.
- Lieutenant John Herbert Carteret Carey, from the 18th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Cowan. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 62nd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant James Henry Bowhill to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th January, 1872.

64th Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Thomas de Courcy Hamilton, V.C., retires upon full pay. Dated 21st January, 1874. Lieutenant Harry St. George Ord retires from the

Lieutenant Harry St. George Ord retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission.

Dated 21st January, 1874.

- 65th Foot, Captain William Thomas Croft retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 67th Foot, Lieutenant Robert Edward Colborne Jarvis to be Captain, vice T. E. Jones, retired. Dated 24th December, 1873.
- 70th Foot, Captain John James Cahill Miller, from half-pay, late Ceylon Rifle Regiment, to be Captain, vice G. F. Green, retired on half-pay. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 71st Foot, Captain William Alexander Symes, from the 94th Foot, to be Captain, vice C. H. Bunbury, who exchanges. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 75th Foot, Colour-Serjeant John Stacpole, from 88th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice F. G. Pollock, transferred to 51st Foot. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 80th Foot, Lieutenant Walter Howard to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major John Wilkinson, promoted half-pay Major. Dated 10th December, 1873.
- Captain Frederick Blair Staples, from half-pay, late Ceylon Rifle Regiment, to be Captain, vice Brevet-Major R. J. Maxwell retired on temporary half-pay. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 81st Foot, Lieutenant Henry Augustus Bourchier Bristow retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigncy. Dated 21st January, 1874.

- 90th Foot, Lieutenant Robert Lawrence to be Captain, vice W. Rennie, V.C., promoted half-pay Major. Dated 10th December, 1873.
- 91st Foot, Lieutenant William Gostwyck Gard to be Captain, vice W. Grant, retired on full-pay. Dated 24th December, 1873.
- 92nd Foot, Major Arthur Wellington Cameron to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice F. Macbean, retired on half-pay. Dated 24th December, 1873.
- Captain George Stewart White to be Major, vice Cameron. Dated 24th December, 1873.
- Lieutenant Henry Vesey Brooke to be Captain, vice White. Dated 24th December, 1873.
- 94th Foot, Captain Cecil Hamner Bunbury, from the 71st Foot, to be Captain, vice W. A. Symes, who exchanges. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 97th Foot, Serjeant-Major Edward Hanstock, from the 20th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 21st January, 4874.
- 98th Foot, Lieutenant John Reeves, from Armagh Light Infantry Militia, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant T. G. Barclay, transferred to 66th Foot. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 100th Foot, Lieutenant William Kaye Edden retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigncy. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 102nd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Edward Brandreth Hutchinson to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1871.
- 104th Foot, Sub Lieutenant Lionel Edward Blakeney Booth to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th January, 1872

- 109th Foot, Lieutenant Donald William Mackinnon to be Captain, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel A. T. Welsh, retired upon full-pay. Dated 6th December, 1873.
- Rifle Brigade, Sub-Lieutenant the Honourable Thomas Lister, from the 64th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant W. H. M. Fitzherbert, promoted. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 1st West India Regiment, Major William W. W. Johnston to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice J. McAuley, retired on half-pay. Dated 24th December, 1873.

Captain Reginald Kennett Gibb to be Major, vice W. W. W. Johnston. Dated 24th December,

1873.

- Lieutenant Anthony Coulton Allinson to be Captain, vice R. K. Gibb. Dated 24th December, 1873.
- Medical Departmen', Surgeon John Joseph Crean retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 27th November, 1873.

Surgeon - Major Robert Fleetwood Andrews is placed upon temporary half-pay. Dated

19th December, 1873.

Surgeon Alfred Lewer to be Surgeon-Major, vice Colin Matheson Milne Miller, M.D., retired upon temporary half-pay. Dated 21st January, 1874.

Surgeon Thomas Hession to be Surgeon-Major, vice Augustus Frederick Turner, retired upon temporary half-pay. Dated 21st January.

1874.

Surgeon Edwin Wilkes to be Surgeon-Major, vice William Johnstone Fyffe, M.D., who retires upon half-pay. Dated 21st January, 1874.

Staff Surgeon Merrick Lloyd Burrows, M.D., from half-pay, to be Surgeon-Major. Dated 21st January, 1874.

Surgeon Hugh Kennedy Maclachlan resigns his

Commission. Dated 21st January, 1874.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Fitz William Frederick Hunter, 36th Foot, having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonel. Dated 27th January, 1874.

Captain John Augustus Tighe, 54th Foot, to be

Major. Dated 29th December, 1873.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Thomas de Courey Hamilton, V.C., 64th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major-General on retiring upon full-pay. Dated 21st January, 1874.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel James Waddell-Boyd, half-pay, 14th Foot, and Staff Officer of Pensioners, to have the honorary rank of Colonel on retiring upon full-pay. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Surgeon-Major William Johnstone Fyffe, M.D., to have the honorary rank of Deputy Surgeon-General on retiring upon half-pay. Dated 21st

January, 1874.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 28th December, 1873, of General Sir Abraham Roberts, G.C.B., Colonel of the 101st Foot:—

Lieutenant-General Montague Cholmeley Johnstone, Colonel of the 88th Foot, to be General. Dated 29th December, 1873.

Major-General Sir Thomas Myddelton Biddulph, K.C.B., to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 29th

December, 1873.

Brevet Colonel Arthur James Herbert, C.B.,

serving with the rank of Brigadier-General, from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, Unattached, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 29th December, 1873.

Captain and Brevet Major Ambrose Wolrige, Royal Marine Light Infantry, to be Lieutenant-

Colonel. Dated 29th December, 1873.

Captain Norton Knatchbull, 95th Foot, to be Major. Dated 29th December, 1873.

The following promotions to take place upon the British Establishment consequent upon the death, on 28th December, 1873, of Lieutenant-General Edward Altham Cumberlege, Bengal Intantry:—

Brevet-Colonel James, Lord Seaton, from Major, half-pay, Unattached, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 29th December, 1873.

Major Bonar Millett Deane, 19th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 29th December,

1873.

Captain John Creagh, 5th Foot, to be Major. Dated 29th December, 1873.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 5th January, 1874, of General Sir James Charles Chatterton, Bart., G.C.B., Colonel of the 4th Dragoon Guards:—

Lieutenant-General William Frederick Forster, Colonel of the 81st Foot, to be General.

Dated 6th January, 1874.

Major-General Charles Hagart, C.B., Colonel of the 7th Hussars, to be Lieutenant-General.

Dated 6th January, 1874.

Major and Brevet-Colonel Nathan Smith Gardiner, half-pay, Unattached, to have the rank of Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868.

Brevet Colonel Samuel Wells, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, retired full pay, 23rd Foot, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 6th January, 1874.

Major Charles Edward Grogan, 14th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 6th January, 1874.

Captain George John Hamilton, 26th Foot, to be Major. Dated 6th January, 1874.

MEMORANDA.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Henry F. B. Maxse, half-pay, Unattached, retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 22nd December, 1873.

Captain and Brevet L'eutenant-Colonel James Waddell-Boyd, half-pay, 14th Foot, and Staff Officer of Pensioners, retires upon full-pay. Dated 1st January, 1874.

India Office, 19th January, 1874.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following Admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India:—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Thomas Oliver Wingate, 21st Regiment. Dated 17th November, 1863.

Lieutenant Joseph Seymour Biscoe, Royal Artillery. Dated 24th March, 1865.

Lieutenant William Potter Newall, 41st Regiment. Dated 7th December, 1870.

Lieutenant James Frank Rive't-Carnac, 12th Regiment. Dated 15th February, 1871.

Lieutenant Gerald Ward Martin, 88th Regiment. Dated 24th March, 1871. Lieutenant William Francis Hungerford Grey, 29th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871. Lieutenant Edward Bruce, 39th Regiment.

Dated 28th October, 1871.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant William Arthur Broome, 1st Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Alexander William Croker Bell, 58th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Charles Oldfield Nicholletts, 39th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

War Office, 20th January, 1874.

MILITIA.

Cornwall Rangers.

Captain the Honourable Robert Champion Vivian resigns his Commission. Dated 21st, January, 1874.

Hampshire.

Harvey Spiller, Gent., to be Captain. Dated 21st January, 1874.

1st Royal Lancashire.

Captain John George Rawstorne, Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel, late 17th Foot, resigns his Commission, also is granted the honorary rank of Major, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 21st January, 1874.

4th Royal Lancashire.

Lieutenant Nicholas Aspinall Gibbon resigns his Commission. Dated 21st January, 1874.

Royal Monmouth.

Francis James David Reid, late Lieutenant 6th Dragoons, to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 21st January, 1874.

3rd (King's Own) Stafford.

The services of Major Clement Francis Sneyd Kynnersley are dispensed with, in consequence of ill-health. Dated 21st January, 1874.

2nd West York.

Major William Hall Wilkinson to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Van Straubenzee, resigned. Dated 21st January, 1874.

The Royal Aberdeenshire Highlanders.

William Disney Innes, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 21st January, 1874.

Antrim Artillery.

John Charles Ker Fox, Gent, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 21st January, 1874.

North Cork.

Lieutenant Samuel Townsend resigns his Commission. Dated 21st January, 1874.

West Cork Artillery.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Henry Longfield is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 21st January, 1874.

Royal North Down.

Robert Frederick Ward, Lieutenant, late Royal Navy, to be Captain. Dated 21st January, 1874.

Galway.

Hastings Augustus Eyre, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 21st January, 1874.

Londonderry.

Major and Honorary Lientenant-Colonel Stewart Crawford Bruce resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 21st January, 1874.

2nd or North Tipperary.

Captain George Frederick Green, half-pay, late 70th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 7th January, 1874.

Fitzgibbon Trant, late Lieutenant 64th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 7th January, 1874.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Duke of Lancaster's Own.

Lieutenant Edmund Ashton resigns his Commission. Dated 21st January, 1874.

Middlesex.

Henry John Loftus, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary.) Dated 21st January, 1874.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Gloucester, and of the City and County of the City of Bristol.

William Francis George Guise, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th January, 1874.

Treasury Chambers, January 17, 1874.

THE Registrar-General of Births, Deaths, and Marriages for England and Wales, with the con-

currence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby gives notice, that the following situations or employments in, or in connection with, the General Register Office, are withdrawn from Schedule A, and are added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870, viz.:—

The situations or employments of-

Labourer.

Charwoman.

Porter.

Packer.

Binder.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 23, 1874.

BY virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so "much of two Acts made in the tenth and "fifteenth years of the reign of His present "Majesty, as authorizes the Speaker of the "House of Commons to issue his Warrant to "the Clerk of the Crown for making out writs "for the election of Members to serve in Par-"liament, in the manner therein mentioned, and "for substituting other provisions for the like purposes;" and of an Act passed in the twenty-sixth year of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act to further limit and define

"the time for proceeding to Election during the "Recess:"

I do hereby give notice, that the death of Sir Montague John Cholmeley, Bart., late a Member serving in this present Parliament for the Northern Division of the county of Lincoln, hath been certified to me in writing, under the hands of two Members serving in this present Parliament; and that I shall issue my Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown to make out a new writ for the electing of a Member to serve in this present Parliament for the said Northern Division of the county of Lincoln at the end of six days after the insertion of this notice in the London Gazette.

Given under my hand this twenty-second day of January, 1874.

H. BRAND, Speaker.

Crown Office, January 17, 1874.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Town of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

Joseph Cowen, of Stella House, Blaydon, in the county of Durham, Fire Brick Manufacturer, in the place of Sir Joseph Cowen, Knt., deceased.

(H. 532.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 21, 1874. THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Athens, stating that since the 1st instant, arrivals in Greek 1874.

ports from Naples and Castellamare are subjected only to a simple quarantine of observation; and that from the same date arrivals from Brindisi and from the whole coast of the Adriatic, and from the 2nd instant those from Havre, have been admissible to free pratique.

(H. 570.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 22, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister in Morocco, stating that the quarantine which had been imposed on arrivals in that country from Antwerp and from the ports of Italy had been removed.

(H. 571.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 22, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Monte Video, stating that in consequence of cases of vellow fever having been reported in the Brazilian ports, all vessels arriving from or having called at a Brazilian port have at Monte Vidco a quarantine of twelve days, counting from the day of sailing, imposed upon them.

Also that many fatal cases of cholera having occurred in the quarantine ground at Buenos Aires, and one or two within that city, a quarantine of twelve days has been imposed at Monto Video on persons and goods arriving from the former place; and should the malady assume a more serious appearance, the communication will again be entirely suspended between the ports.

except by means of the ocean packets.

(S. & C. 94.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, January 22, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received information from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs that the Sultan of Morocco has extended for two additional months the term last granted for the exportation of beans, peas, and maize from Moorish ports.

Admiralty, 20th January, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Staff Surgeon Henry Meredith Speer has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 17th instant.

Admiralty, 22nd January, 1874.

Commander Sir Lambton Loraine, Bart., has been this day promoted to the rank of Captain in

Her Majesty's Fleet.

Lieutenant George Usborne has been promoted to the rank of Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 1st instant, in the haul-down promotion of Rear-Admiral Edmund Heathcote, late Senior Officer of Her Majesty's Ships and Vessels on the Coast of Ireland.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Navigating Lieutenant Charles W. Ross has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 8th instant.

War Office, Pall Mall, 23rd January, 1874.

- 1st Regiment of Dragoons, Lieutenant Richard Mark Synnot Maunsell to be Captain, vice A. Mesham, retired. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 2nd Dragoons, Lieutenant Colin John Campbell retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 24th January, 1874.
- 3rd Hussars, Sub-Lieutenant Samuel Job Lea tobe Lieutenant. Dated 6th March, 1872.
- 8th Hussars, Sub-Lieutenant Andrew Pringle resigns his Commission. Dated 24th January, 1874.
- Brigade Depôt, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Elias Collings, C.B., retires upon half-pay. Dated 24th January, 1874.
- 1st Foot, The surname of the Sub-Lieutenant appointed on 12th November, 1873, is Lindesay and not Lindesey, as previously stated.
- 3rd Foot, Lieutenant Frederick Armstrong Coles retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigncy. Dated 24th January, 1874.
- 12th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant George Shields to be Lieutenant. Dated 4th December, 1872.
- 15th Foot, Lieutenant John Rycroft Best retires from the Service. Dated 24th January, 1874.
- 17th Foot, Captain Julius Tennyson, retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 24th January, 1874.
- 26th Foot, Captain Legh Richmond Phillips, from the 40th Foot, to be Captain, vice P. C. Story, who exchanges. Dated 24th January, 1874.
- 29th Foot Captain Charles Henry Monck Paget

- retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 24th January, 1874.
- 40th Foot, Captain Philip Conway Story, from the 26th Foot, to be Captain, vice L. R. Phillips, who exchanges. Dated 24th January, 1874.
- 48th Foot, Lieutenant Pulteney Edward Bowlby to be Captain, vice C. R. Durrant, retired. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 51st Foot, Lieutenant Richard Edward McGillycuddy retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigncy. Dated 24th January, 1874.
- 52nd Foot, Lieutenant Charles John Boyle to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Richard Maximilian Pulteney, who resigns that appointment. Dated 24th January, 1874.
- 57th Foot, Lieutenant Sydney Edwin Bellingham, from the Louth Regiment of Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th January, 1874.
- 58th Foot, Paymaster and Honorary Captain James White Minchin, from the 62nd Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Honorary Major T. N. Young, who exchanges. Dated 10th November, 1873.
- 62nd Foot, Paymaster and Honorary Major Thomas Newton Young, from the 58th Foot, to be Paymaster, vice Honorary Captain J. W. Minchin, who exchanges. Dated 10th November, 1873.
- 64th Foot, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Mockler, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel T. de C. Hamilton, V.C., retired on full pay. Dated 21st January, 1874.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George Digby Barker to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Mockler. Dated 21st January,

1874.

- Lieutenant Gerald James Paterson to be Captain, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Barker. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 65th Foot, Captain Ellis Lee, from the 24th Foot, to be Captain, vice W. T. Croft, retired on temporary half-pay. Dated 24th January, 1874.
- 72nd Foot, Lieutenant John Haughton, from the 24th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice C. L. Hamilton, retired. Dated 24th January, 1874.
- 89th Foot, Serjeant-Major James Edward Bell to be Quartermaster, vice F. W. Osborne, deceased. Dated 24th January, 1874.
- Royal Malta Fencible Artillery, Quartermaster-Serjeant Michele Debono to be Quartermaster, vice G. Enriquez, deceased. Dated 24th January, 1874.
- Medical Department, Surgeon-Major William Younge Jeeves retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 16th December, 1873.
- Surgeon William Robert Kerans to be Surgeon-Major, vice Robert Fleetwood Andrews, placed on temporary half-pay. Dated 24th January, 1874.

BREVET.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Carnegy, Bombay Staff Corps, Assistant Adjutant-General, Bombay, having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonel. Dated 27th July, 1873.

Paymaster and Honorary Captain Richard Richardson, 40th Foot, to have the honorary rank of

Major. Dated 29th December, 1873.

Paymaster and Captain James Conway Travers, Royal Marine Light Infantry, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 1st January, 1874. Paymaster William Joseph Carden, 14th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 4th September, 1872.

Paymaster Henry Francis Luke, 86th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 2nd

December, 1873.

Honorary Surgeon Thomas Briscoe, M.R.C.S., Bengal Medical Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Surgeon-Major. Dated 24th January, 1874.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Norfolk and of the City and County of the City of Norwich.

Wyrley Birch, Esq, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 16th January, 1874.

FROM THE

SUPPLEMENT

TO THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 23, 1874.

By the QUEEN. A PROCLAMATION,

For Dissolving the present Parliament and Declaring the calling of another.

VICTORIA, R.

WHEREAS We have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Privy Council, to dissolve this present Parliament which stands

prorogued to Thursday, the fifth day of February next: We do for that end publish this Our Royal Proclamation, and do hereby dissolve the said Parliament accordingly; and the Lords Spiritual and Temporal, and the Knights, Citizens, and Burgesses, and the Commissioners for shires and burghs, of the House of Commons are discharged from their meeting and attendance on the said Thursday, the lifth day of February next; and We, being desirous and resolved as soon as may be, to meet Our people, and to have their advice in Parliament, do hereby make known to all Our loving subjects Our Royal will and pleasure to call a new Parliament; and do hereby further declare, that, with the advice of Our Privy Council, We have given order that Our Chancellor of that part of Our United Kingdom called Great Britain, and Our Chancellor of Ireland, do, respectively, upon notice thereof, forthwith issue out writs in due form, and according to law, for calling a new Parliament: and We do hereby also, by this Our Royal Proclamation under Our Great Seal of Our United Kingdom, require writs forthwith to be issued accordingly by Our said Chancellors respectively, for causing the Lords Spiritual and Temporal and Commons, who are to serve in the said Parliament, to be duly returned to, and give their attendance in, Our said Parliament; which writs are to be returnable on Thursday, the fifth day of March next.

Given at Our Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, this twenty-sixth day of January, in the year of Our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and in the thirty-seventh year of Our reign.

By the QUEEN. A PROCLAMATION,

In order to the Electing and Summoning the Sixteen Peers of Scotland.

VICTORIA, R.

WHEREAS We have in Our Council thought fit to declare Our pleasure for summoning and holding a Parliament of Our United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, on Thursday, the fifth day of March next ensuing the date hereof; in order, therefore, to the electing and summoning the Sixteen Peers of Scotland, who are to sit in the House of Peers in the said Parliament, We do, by the advice of Our Privy Council, issue forth this Our Royal Proclamation, strictly charging and commanding all the Peers of Scotland to assemble and meet at Holyrood House, in Edinburgh, on Wednesday, the eighteenth day of February next, between the hours of twelve and two in the afternoon, to nominate and choose the Sixteen Peers, to sit and vote in the House of Peers in the said ensuing Parliament, by open election, and plurality of voices of the Peers that shall be then present, and of the proxies of such as shall be absent (such proxies being Peers, and producing a mandate in writing, duly signed before witnesses, and both the constituent and proxy being qualified according to law), and the Lord Clerk Register, or such two of the Principal Clerks of the Session as shall be appointed by him to officiate in his name, are hereby respectively required to attend such meeting, and to administer the oaths required by law to be taken there by the said Peers, and to take their votes; and immediately after such election made and duly examined, to certify the names of the Sixteen Pcers so elected, and to

sign and attest the same in the presence of the said Peers the Electors, and return such certificate into Our High Court of Chancery of Great Britain. And We do, by this Our Royal Proclamation, strictly command and require the Provost of Edinburgh, and all other the Magistrates of the said city, to take especial care to preserve the peace thereof, during the time of the said election, and to prevent all manner of riots, tumults, disorders, and violence whatsoever. And We strictly charge and command that this Our Royal Proclamation be duly published at the Market-Cross at Edinburgh, and in all the county towns of Scotland, ten days, at least, before the time hereby appointed for the meeting of the said Peers to proceed to such election.

Witness Ourselves at Oshorne House, Isle of Wight, this twenty-sixth day of January, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, and in the thirty-seventh year of Our reign.

GOD save the QUEEN.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 27, 1874.

Foreign Office, January 26, 1874.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. John L. Near as Consul at Windsor, Canada, for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Alexandre Connal as Consul at Glasgow for His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don Walter O. Hirst as Consul at Manchester for

the Oriental Republic of the Uruguay.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Senor Leon Henry as Vice-Consul at Liverpool for the United States of Colombia.

Downing Street, January 24, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Julian Pauncefote, Esq., to be Chief Justice of the

Supreme Court of the Leeward Islands.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint John Rawlins Semper, Esq., to be First Puisne Judge, and Sholto Thomas Pemberton, Esq., to be Second Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of the Leeward Islands.

Crown Office, January 24, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased by Writ under the Great Seal to call Richard Paul Amphlett, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel learned in the Law, to the state and degree of a Serjeant-at-Law.

The Queen has also been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to constitute and appoint Richard Paul Amphlett, Serjeant-at-Law, one of the Barons of the Court of Exchequer.

Windsor Castle, January 23, 1874.

Her Royal Highness the Duchess of Edinburgh has been pleased to make the following appointments, with the approval of Her Majesty the Queen: -

The Lady Frances Baillie, The Lady Emma Osborne, The Lady Mary Butler,

to be Ladies of the Bedchamber to Her Royal Highness.

Mr. Dmitry Kalochine, to be Private Secretary to Her Royal Highness.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh has been pleased to make the following appointment in his Household:—

Dr. Wilson Fox to be Physician in Ordinary to their Royal Highnesses the Duke and Duchess of Edinburgh.

Gloucester House, January 1, 1874.

The Duke of Cambridge has been pleased to appoint Edmond St. John Mildmay, Esq., now Extra Equerry to His Royal Highness, to be Equerry to His Royal Highness, vice Major-General Henry Clifton, resigned.

Major-General Henry Clifton to be Extra

Equerry to His Royal Highness.

Admiralty, 23rd January, 1874.

Royal Marines.

The undermentioned promotion has taken place in the Royal Marine Artillery; viz.:—

Lieutenant Robert Calder Allen to be Captain, vice Kinsman, deceased. Dated 25th December, 1873.

Admiralty, 23rd January, 1874.

David Wilson, Esq., has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 5th instant.

The Reverend John Sam Ladds has this day been appointed a Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Surgeon Patrick O'Connell D'Oyle has been placed on the Retired List from the 20th instant.

Admiralty, 26th January, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Staff-Surgeon Second Class Samuel Grose has been placed on the Retired List from the 22nd instant.

Admiralty, 22nd January, 1874.

Royal Naval Artillery Volunteers.

Liverpool Corps.

Arthur P. Douglas, Esq., Retired Licutenant Royal Navy, to be Lieutenant Instructor. Dated 19th January, 1874.

Bristol Corps.

Lawrence G. A. Roberts, Esq., Retired Commander Royal Navy, to be Lieutenant Instructor. Dated 19th January, 1874.

War Office, Pall Mall, 27th January, 1874.

CONTROL DEPARTMENT.

Supply and Transport Sub-Department, Assistant-Commissary H. D. O'Donnell is placed upon temporary half-pay. Dated 1st December, 1873.

CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT.

Chaplain of the Second Class the Reverend J. A. Crozier, M.A., to be Chaplain of the First Class. Dated 7th January, 1874.

Chaplain of the Fourth Class the Reverend Charles J. Coar, M.A., to be Chaplain of the Third

Class. Dated 4th January, 1874.

India Office, 27th January, 1874.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the transfer to the Half-pay List of the undermentioned Officer:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Major Peter Burgess. Dated 6th November, 1873.

War Office, 27th January, 1874.

MILITIA.

Royal Carnarvon.

Captain David Glynne Griffith resigns his Commission. Dated 28th January, 1874.

1st Durham.

Lieutenant Edward William Herbert, from the Shropshire Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th January, 1874.

Herefordshire.

The Honourable William Spencer Bateman-Hanbury to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th January, 1874.

Hertford.

Eugéne Leopold Selwyn Brett, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th January, 1874.

Royal Lancashire Artillery.

Alexander Condie Stephen, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 28th January, 1874.

Royal North Lincoln.

Major Henry Valentine Grantham is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 28th January, 1874.

4th or Royal South Middlesex.

Captain William Edward Chapman, half-pay, late 1st Dragoon Guards, to be Captain. Dated 21st January, 1874.

1st Warwick.

Captain Henry Charles Palmer resigns his Commission. Dated 28th January, 1874.

Lieutenant Thomas Tufnell Staunton resigns his Commission. Dated 28th January, 1874.

4th West York.

Lieutenant Alfred Stephen Chapman, from the 2nd Somerset Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th January, 1874.

Clare.

Captain Robert Barnwell Walton is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 28th January, 1874.

Doneyal Artillery.

Captain Thomas Patterson is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 28th January, 1874.

Dublin County.

Athanasius Francis William Geoffrey de Geneville Cusack to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th January, 1874.

Limerick County.

Lieutenant Edward Charles Conyers to be Captain. Dated 28th January, 1874.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Cheshire.

Victor Alexander, Earl Grosvenor, to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th January, 1874.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 50, 1874.

AT the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 26th day of January, 1874.

THE Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order and direct the next Spring Assizes and Sessions under the Commissions of Gaol Delivery, and other Commissions for the dispatch of civil and criminal business to be held in and for the county of Montgomery, at Newtown, in the said county, instead of at Welshpool.

At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 20th day of January, 1874.

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that from and after the twenty-eighth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, the County Court of Surrey, holden at Farnham, be holden at Aldershot, as well as at Farnham.

At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 26th day of January, 1874.

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that from and after the twenty-eighth day of February, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four:—

The hamlets of High Green and Mortomley, Barnes Green and Chapeltown, now in the district of the County Court of Yorkshire, holden at Sheffield, shall be in the district of the County

Court of Yorkshire, holden at Barnsley;

The parishes of Sturminster Newton, Hinton St. Mary, Stock-Gayland, Lydlinch, and Hanford, now in the district of the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Shaftesbury, shall be in the district of the County Court of Dorsetshire, holden at Blandford.

Osborne, January 27, 1874.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Richard Paul Amphlett, Esq., one of the Barons of Her Majesty's Court of Exchequer.

Whitehall, January 28, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters 1874.

Patent to be passed under the Great Seal, granting the dignity of a Knight of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Thomas Sidgreaves, Esq., Chief Justice of the Straits Settlements.

Whitehall, January 28, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend William Hinton Drake, B.A., to the Vicarage of Terrington St. Clements, in the county of Norfolk and diocese of Norwich, void by the resignation of the Reverend John Cumming Macdona, M.A.

(M. 1423.)

Marine Department, Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, January 28, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, stating that measures will be taken by the French Government to introduce into France the English regulations relating to the Signals of Distress set forth in Schedule 1 of "The Merchant Shipping Acts Amendment Act, 1873."

(S. & C. 121.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, January 28, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a new regulation issued by the Turkish Government on the subject of Stamp Duty. By this enactment, coming into force on the list March next, it will be necessary that stamps, according to a specified tariff, should be affixed to all con-

tracts, acts of transfer, bills, cheques, receipts, bills of lading, and policies, to all stocks, shares, and bonds negotiated on the Constantinople Exchange, to newspapers, passports, and petitions to public departments or official personages.

(S. & C. 122.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, January 28, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Santiago, reporting that the Bolivian Extraordinary Assembly have decreed that, from the 1st instant, goods imported through the ports of Mejillones and Antofugasta will be charged with an additional 25 per cent. over and above the duties actually imposed on them; that all preserved and other articles of food will remain duty free; and that an export duty of four Bolivian dollars will be levied on every head of cattle that leaves the territory of the Republic.

(S. & C. 123.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, January 28, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Sccretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Decree of the Portuguese Government, altering, in the following particulars, the rates of tare annexed to the Customs' tariff now in force: Allowance for tare to be made on the gross value of raisins in wooden boxes, 30 per cent.; of tar in barrels, 23 per cent.; of molasses in barrels, 16 per cent., in other casks, 10 per cent, and of linseed oil in casks, 18 per cent.

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(H. 715.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 27, 1874,

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Telegram from Her Majesty's Minister at Lisbon stating that by a Government Notice, dated the 20th instant, the British possessions on the Gold Coast were declared free from yellow fever, the ports of Guinea between Cape Palmas and the Gulf of Benin as well as Bonny still "infected."

(H. 768.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., January 29, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Athens stating that arrivals in Greek ports from Naples and Castellamare have, since the 9th instant, been admissible to free pratique.

Admiralty, 26th January, 1874.

The undermentioned Officers have this day been promoted to the rank of Paymaster in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 20th January, 1874:—

John Niehols Colborne. Edward Tisdall. William Henry Emes Mitehell.

Admiralty, 28th January, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Ferdinand Freese Tupper, has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Admirolty, 29th January, 1874.

The notification contained in the London Gazette of the 20th instant, of the advancement of Retired Captain Henry Coryton to the rank of Rear-Admiral on the Retired List is hereby cancelled, in accordance with the request of that Officer.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of His Grace Francis Charles Hastings, Duke of Bedford, being appointed Vice Lieutenant of the County of Bedford, during the absence of the Lord Lieutenant from Great Britain. Dated 24th January, 1874.

FROM THE SUPPLEMENT

TO THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JANUARY 30, 1874.

AT the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 2nd day of February, 1874.

SHERIFFS appointed by Her Majesty in Council for the year 1874.

ENGLAND

(excepting Cornwall and Lancashire).

Bedfordshire, Salusbury Gillies Payne, of
Blunham (claiming to be
Sir Salusbury Gillies Payne,
Bart.)

Berkshire,	William Hew Dunn, of Standen Manor, Hungerford, Esq.
Buckinghamshire,	Lawrence Robert Hall, of Foscott Manor, Esq.
Cambridgeshire and Huntingdonshire,	James Montagu, of Elm, Isle of Ely, and Melton-on-the Hill, Doncaster, Esq.
Cheshire,	Sir Edward William Watkin, of Rose Hill, Knight.
Cumberland,	John Lindow, of Ehen Hall, Esq.
Derbyshire,	Godfrey Franceys Meynell, of Meynell Langley, Esq.
Devonshire,	John Walrond Walrond, of Bradfield, Esq.
Dorsetshire,	John William Townsend Fyler, of Heffleton, Esq.
Durham,	John Fogg Elliot, of Elvet Hill, Durham, Esq.
Essex,	Thomas George Graham White, of Wethersfield, Esq.
Gloucestershire,	Thomas Sebastian Bazley, of Hatherop Castle, Fairford, Esq.
Herefordshire,	Lieutenant - Colonel Thomas Powell Symonds, of Pen- gethley, near Ross, J.P.
Hertfordshire,	Sir John Gage Saunders Sebright, of Beechwood, Markyate Street, Bart.
Kent,	Charles Stewart Hardy, of Chilham Castle, Chilham, Canterbury, Esq.

Leicestershire, Edward Warner, of Quorndon Hall, Esq. Lincolnshire, Bennet Rothes Langton, of Langton, Esq. Monmouthshire. Crawshay Bailey, of Maindiff Court, Abergavenny, Esq. Robert Fellowes, of Shottes-Norfolk, ham, Esq. Northamptonshire, John Albert Craven, of Whilton, Esq. Shalcross Fitzherbert Wid-Northumberland, drington, of Newton Hall. Esq. Nottinghamshire, Robert Kelham, of Bleasby, Esq. Oxfordshire. Arthur, Viscount Valentia, of Bletchingdon Park Thomas John Stafford Hotch-Rutland, kin, of South Luffenham, Esq. Richard Thomas Lloyd, of Shropshire, Aston Hall, Oswestry, Esq. George Fownes Luttrell, of Somersetshire, Dunster Castle, Dunster, Esq. Sir William County of Wellesley Southampton, Knighton, of Blendworth Lodge, Horndean, Bart. Staffordshire, Sir Tonman Mosley, of Rolleston Hall, Bart. Thomas Barbot Beale, of Bret-Suffolk, tenham Park, Esq. Surrey, John Coysgarne Sim, Coombe Wood, Kingston-on-Thames, Esq.

Sussex, George Meek, of Brantridge, Cuckfield, Esq. Warwickshire, Edward Allesley Boughton Ward Boughton Leigh, of Brownsover Hall, near Rugby, Esq. Sir Henry James Tufton, of Westmoreland, Appleby Castle, Bart. Wiltshire, Edward Chaddock Lowndes, of Castle Coombe, Chippenham, Esq. Worcestershire, Joseph Jones, of Abberley Hall, Stourport, Esq. Yorkshire, The Honourable Arthur Duncombe, of Kilnwick Percy. WALES. NORTH AND SOUTH. Robert Roberts, of Plas Llech-Anglesey, ylched, Esq. William de Winton, of Maes-Breconshire, derwen, Esq. David Thomas, of Llanfair, Cardiganshire, near Llandyssil, Esq. David Pugh, of Manorabon, Carmarthenshire, Llandilofawr, Esq. Benjamin Thomas Ellis, of Carnarvonshire, Rhyllech, Esq. John Carstairs Jones, Denbighshire, of Gelligynan, Esq.

Flintshire, William Keates, of Greenfield,
Esq.

Glamorganshire, John Whitlock Nichol Carne,
of St. Donatt's Castle, near
Cowbridge, Esq., D.C.L.

Merionethshire, William Edward Oakeley, of Tanybwlch, Esq.

Montgomeryshire, Thomas Openshaw Lomax, of Bodfach, Esq.

Pembrokeshire, James Bowen Summers, of Milton, Esq.

Radnorshire, Richard William Banks, of Ridgebourne, Kington, Herefordshire, Esq.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 3, 1874.

Duchy of Lancaster, February 2, 1874.

THE Queen has been this day pleased to appoint Richard Smethurst, Esq., of Ellerbeck, to be Sheriff of the County Palatine of Lancaster for the year ensuing.

At the Court at Osborne House, Isle of Wight, the 2nd day of February, 1874.

This day, the Right Honourable William John, Lord Monson, and Sir Samuel Martin, Knight, were, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took their places at the Board accordingly.

St. James's Palace, February 2, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Charles Wylde, Esq., to be one of the Gentlemen Ushers Quarterly Waiters in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of Captain William Ross, deceased.

Whitehall, January 22, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Colonel James Conolly, Her Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of a Commander of the Order of the Legion of Honour conferred upon him by the President of the French Republic, as a promotion from the Class of Knight of that Order which he received for services in the Crimean War in 1856, to which promotion he has become eligible by increase of rank in Her Majesty's Service.

Whitehall, January 31, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Knight of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Julian Pauncefote, Esq., Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Leeward Islands.

Whitehall, January 31, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Frederick Barker, M.A., to the Rectory of Middleham, in the county of York, and diocese of Ripon, void by the death of the Reverend Myles Galloway Booty.

Downing Street, January 30, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint John Henry de Villiers, Esq., to be Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Colony of the Capc of Good Hope.

Crown Office, January 31, 1874.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the PARLIA-MENT summoned to be holden at the City of Westminster on the 5th day of March, 1874.

Borough of Birmingham.

The Right Honourable John Bright, Chancellor of the Duchy and of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

George Dixon, of Edgbaston, Merchant.

Philip Henry Muntz, of Somerset House, Leamington, Merchant.

Borough of Ludlow.

The Honourable George Herbert Windsor Windsor Clive, of 53, Grosvenor-street, in the county of Middlesex.

City of Ripon.

Frederick Oliver Robinson (commonly called Earl de Grey), of Studley Royal, Yorkshire.

Borough of Whitehaven.

George Augustus Frederick Cavendish Bentinck, of No. 3, Grafton-street, Bond-street, Barrister-at-Law.

Borough of Huntingdon.

Sir John Burgess Karslake, Knt., of Chester-square, in the county of Middlesex.

Borough of Harwich.

Henry Jervis-White-Jervis, of Brentwood, Essex, late Colonel Royal Artillery.

Borough of Marlborough.

The Right Honourable Ernest Augustus Charles Brudenell Bruce (commonly called Lord Ernest Bruce).

Borough of Malmeshury.

Walter Powell, of Eastcourt, in the county of Wilts, Esq.

Borough of Leominster.

Richard Arkwright, of Cadogan-place, Middlesex, Esq.

Borough of Eye.

The Right Honourable George William, Viscount Barrington, of Beckett, Berkshire.

Borough of Hertford.

Arthur James Balfour, of Carlton-gardens, Middlesex, Esq.

Borough of Cirencester.

Allen Alexander Bathurst, of 32, St James place, London, Esq.

Borough of Calne.

Lord Edmond Fitzmaurice, of Bowood, in the county of Wilts.

Borough of Tynemouth.

Thomas Eustace Smith, of Gosforth House, Dudley, Northumberland, Ship Owner.

February 2.

City of Rochester.

Julian Goldsmid, of Somerhill, Tonbridge, in the county of Kent, Esq.

Philip Wykeham Martin, of Leeds Castle, in the county of Kent.

Borough of Guildford.

Denzil Roberts Onslow, of Flexford, near Guildford.

Borough of Tewkesbury.

William Edward Price, of Tibberton Court, Gloucestershire, Esq.

City of Chichester.

The Honourable Henry George Charles Gordon Lennox (commonly called Lord Henry George Charles Gordon Lennox), of 19, Grosvenorgardens, Pimlico.

Borough of Tiverton.

John Heathcoat Amory, of Knightshayes Court, Tiverton. Esq.

The Right Honourable William Nathaniel Massey, of 96, Portland-place, Marylebone.

Borough of Kidderminster.

Albert Grant, of 41, Queen's Gate-terrace, South Kensington.

Borough of Maidstone.

Sir John Lubbock, Bart.

Sir Sydney Hedley Waterlow, Bart.

Borough of Great Marlow.

Thomas Owen Wethered, of Remnantz, Great Marlow, Brewer.

Borough of Taunton.

Alexander Charles Barclay, of No. 25, Boltonstreet, Piccadilly, Esq.

Sir Henry James, of No. 23, Wilton-place, Middlesex, Her Majesty's Attorney-General.

Borough of Bridport.

Thomas Alexander Mitchell, of No. 50, Charlesstreet, Berkeley-square, in the county of Middlesex.

County of Merioneth.

Samuel Holland, of Glan William, Maentwrog, in the county of Merioneth, Esq.

Universities of Edinburgh and St. Andrew's.

The Right Honourable Lyon Playfair, Her Majesty's Postmaster-General.

Borough of East Retford.

The Right Honourable George Edward Arundell, Viscount Galway, of Serlby Hall, Nottinghamshire.

Francis John Savile Foljambe, of Osberton, Nottinghamshire.

County of Surrey. Western Division.

George Cubitt, of Denbies, Dorking, Esq. Lee Steere, of Jayes, Ockley, Esq.

County of Lincoln.

Northern Division.

Sir John Dugdale Astley, of Elsham Hall, Brigg, Bart.

Rowland Winn, of Appleby Hall, Brigg, Esq.

County of Stafford.

Eastern Division.

Samuel Charles Allsopp, of Marchington, Uttoxeter, Brewer.

Michael Arthur Bass, of Rougemore, Burton-upon-Trent, Brewer.

University of Oxford.

The Right Honourable Gathorne Hardy, Master of Arts and Doctor in Civil Law.

The Right Honourable John Robert Mowbray, Master of Arts and Doctor in Civil Law.

Borough of Wilton.

Sir Edmund Antrobus, of 146, Piccadilly, Bart.

Borough of South Shields.

James Cochran Stevenson, of Westoe, Durham, Alkali Manufacturer.

Borough of Burnley.

Richard Shaw, of Holme Lodge, Burnley, Esq.

Borough of King's Lynn.

The Honourable Robert Bourke, of 68, Grosvenor-street, Middlesex.

Claud John Hamilton (commonly called Lord Claud John Hamilton), of 31, Hertford-street, Middlesex.

February 3.

County of Oxford.

The Right Honourable Joseph Warner Henley. Lieutenant-Colonel John Sydncy North. William Cornwallis Cartwright, Esq.

University of Cambridge.

The Right Honourable Spencer Horatio Walpole, Doctor of Laws.

Alexander James Beresford Beresford Hope, Esq., Doctor of Laws.

County of Berks.

Richard Benyon, Esq. Lieutenant-Colonel Robert James Loyd-Lindsay. John Walter, Esq. Borough of Carnarvon.

William Bulkeley Hughes, Esq.

Stirling District of Burghs.

Henry Campbell-Bannerman, Esq., of 117, Eaton-square, London.

County of Derby.

Northern Division.

George Henry Cavendish (commonly called Lord George Henry Cavendish).

Augustus Peter Arkwright, Esq., of Willesley Castle, Matlock.

Borough of Westbury.

Abraham Laverton, of Westbury, Esq.

College of the Holy Trinity, Dublin.

The Right Honourable John Thomas Ball, LL.D. The Honourable David Robert Plunket, LL.D.

Borough of Chippenham.

Gabriel Goldney, of Beechfield, in the county of Wilts, Esq.

City of Gloucester.

William Killigrew Wait, of 2, Worcester-villas. Clifton, Merchant.

Charles James Monk, of 5, Buckingham-gate, London.

Borough of Carlow.

Henry Owen Lewis, of 19, Seymour-street, Portman-square, London, Esq.

County of Dublin.

Colonel the Right Honourable Thomas Edward Taylor, of Ardgillan, Balbriggan.

Ion Trant Hamilton, of Abbotstown, Castleknock, Esq.

Borough of Lisburn.

Sir Richard Wallace, of Autrim Castle, Bart.

County of Hereford.

Sir Joseph Russell Bailey, of Glanusk Park, Bart. Michael Biddulph, of Ledbury, Esq.

County of Pembroke.

John Henry Scourfield, of Williamston, in the county of Pembroke, Esq.

Borough of Barnstaple.

Thomas Cave, of Queensberry House, Richmond, Surrey.

Samuel Danks Waddy, of 23, Yonge-park, Finsbury Park, Middlesex, Barrister-at-Law.

Borough of Montgomery.

The Honourable Charles Douglas Richard Hanbury Tracy, of 68, Eccleston-square.

County of Montgomery.

Charles Watkin Williams Wynn, of Coedymacn Meifod, in the county of Montgomery, Esq.

Borough of Waltingford.

Edward Wells, of Wallingford, Esq.

Borough of Banbury.

Bernhard Samuelson, Esq., of Bodicote Grange, Oxfordshire.

Admiralty, 30th January, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Navigating Lieutenant George A. F. Day has been placed on the Retired List from the 24th April, 1873.

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1874.

War Office, Pall Mall, 3rd February, 1874.

1st Regiment of Life Guards, Lieutenant the Honourable Hugh Le Despencer Boscawen retires from the Service, receiving the value of a Cornetcy and Sub-Lieutenancy. Dated 4th February, 1874.

2nd Dragoons, Lieutenant Thomas Kane McClintoek-Bunbury retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1874.

10th Hussars, Lieutenant Hugh Sutlej Gough to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant the Honourable H. G. L. Crichton, promoted. Dated 21st December, 1873.

20th Hussars, Sub-Lieutenant John Eustace Jameson, from the 18th Foot, to be Sub Lieutenant, vice J. D. Garmeson, who has resigned his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Royal Artillery, The undermentioned Officers from the Supernumerary List to be Captains:-Captain Frederick Boyd Roberts (late Bombay).

Dated 1st January, 1874.

Captain Hugh Hildyard Murray (late Bengal). Dated 1st January, 1874.

Captain Harold John Kinsman (late Bengal). Dated 1st January, 1874.

Captain Christopher William Townsend. 1st January, 1874.

Captain Lionel Henry Septimus James (late Bengal). Dated 1st January, 1874.

Captain Horaee George Willis (late Bengal). Dated 1st January, 1874.

The undermentiqued Officers from the Supernumerary List to be Lieutenants:-

Lieutenant Arthur Swinton (late Bengal). Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant Edmund Webb Nash. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant Samuel Gardiner Smyth. Dated 1st

January, 1874.

Lieutenant Archibald Forman Makellar. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant Edward Walsh. Dated 1st January,

1874.

Lieutenant Edmund George Henry Bingham. Dated 1st January, 1874.

The undermentioned officers to be placed upon the Supernumerary List, but they will not be succeeded while in their present rank :-

Captain Edward Hart Dyke (late Bengal). Dated 1st January, 1874.

Captain Flemyng George Gyll. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Captain James Raymond Johnstone Dewar (late Bengal). Dated 1st January, 1874.

Captain Edward John Machell (late Bengal). Dated 1st January, 1874.

Captain Matthew Richard West (late Madras). Dated 1st January, 1874.

Captain Robert Dundas Eliott Lockhart. 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant Kenneth F. Maclachlan. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant William John Mackintosh. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant Frederick Bigg. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant Charles Henry Scott, Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant Peter Henry Hammond. Dated 1st

January, 1874.

Lieutenant William James Clarke. Dated 1st January, 1874.

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Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Horace Parker Newton to be Colonel, vice R. B. M'Crea, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Carmichael Russell (late Bengal), upon the Supernumerary List, to be Colonel. Dated 4th

February, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Stirling Dundas (late Bengal) to be Colonel, vice W. Olpherts, V.C., C.B., placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Metcalfe Young (late Bengal) to be Colonel, vice H. H. Maxwell, C.B., placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Henry Heyman, from the Supernumerary List, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel Newton, promoted. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Major Lambert Henry Denne to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel S. E. Gordon, C.B, placed upon the Supernumerary List.

Dated 4th February, 1874.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Paget Walter L'Estrange to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel W. E. M. Reilly, C.B., placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Hazlitt Irvine to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice R. J. Hay, placed upon the Supernumerary List.

Dated 4th February, 1874.

Major and Brevet Licutenant-Colonel William Wilson (late Bengal) to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel Dundas (late Bengal), promoted. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Major Thomas Netherton Harward (late Bengal) to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel Young (late Bengal), promoted. Dated 4th

February, 1874.

Major Minto Elliot (late Bengal), from the Supernumerary List, to be Major, vice G. M. Dobbin (late Bengal), who retires upon a pension. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Captain Francis Duncan, from the Supernumerary List, to be Major, vice L. H. Denne, promoted.

Dated 4th February, 1874.

Captain John Ryder Oliver, from the Supernumerary List, to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel L'Estrange, promoted. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Captain James Peattie Morgan, upon the Supernumerary List, to be Major. Dated 4th Feb-

ruary, 1874.

Captain George Grote Hannen, upon the Supernumerary List, to be Major. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Captain Arthur Ford, upon the Seconded List, to

be Major. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Captain and Adjutant Francis Arthur Mant to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Irvine, promoted. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Captain Alexander Walker (late Bengal), upon the Supernumerary List, to be Major. Dated

4th February, 1874.

Captain Alfred Dixon (late Bengal), to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Wilson (late Bengal), promoted. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Captain Edward Hart Dyke (late Bengal), upon the Supernumerary List, to be Major. Dated

4th February, 1874.

Captain Anson Swinton (late Bengal) to be Major, vice T. N. Harward (late Bengal), promoted. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Captain George Lloyd Engström, from half-pay, to be Captain, vice T. M. Hitchins, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Lieutenant Arthur Swinton (late Bengal) to be Captain, vice A. Dixon (late Bengal), promoted.

Dated 4th February, 1874.

Lieutenant Richard George Swayne Marshall (late Bengal) to be Captain, vice A. Swinton (late Bengal), promoted. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Lieutenant Dunbar Fraser Huyshe (late Bengal) to be Captain, vice C. H. Thompson (late Bengal), placed upon the Supernumerary List.

Dated 4th February, 1874.

Lieutenant Arthur John C. Rawlins (late Bengal) to be Captain, vice C. H. Reilly (late Bengal), who retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Lieutenant Henry Shakespear Higginson (late Bengal) to be Captain, vice G. B. Wyner (late Bengal), who retires upon temporary half-pay.

Dated 4th February, 1874.

Lieutenant Robert MoGregor Stewart, upon the Supernumerary List, to be Captain. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Lieutenant Thomas Charles Cooke to be Captain, vice F. A. Mant promoted. Dated 4th Febru-

ary, 1874.

Lieutenant Joshua Morris Saunders to be Captain, vice J. F. Owen, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Lieutenant Arthur Godolphin Yeatman to be Captain, vice C. W. Bellairs, who resigns.

Dated 4th February, 1874.

Captain Francis Carminowe Nicolas to be Adjutant, vice F. A. Mant, promoted. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Captain Willoughby Hamond Sandham (late Bombay) to be Adjutant, vice J. F. Owen, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 4th February, 1874.

The temporary Commissions as Lieutenant of the undermentioned Officers to be made permanent, and to be antedated to the 12th September, 1872, such antedate not to carry back pay, viz.:—

Percy Alexander MacMahon. Henry Chesshyre Claughton Walker. Reginald Oakes. Edward Nathaniel Henriques. Francis Beaufort. James Wolfe Murray. Herbert Jones Daubeny. Ernest Cassan. Richard Francis Johnson. William Robert Prickett. Augustus Frederick Liddell, George William Buchanan. John Stewart Scott Barker. Frederic Brice Bunny. Cecil Longridge. Alfred Mansel. Arthur Houstoun Hewat. Charles Beaumont D'Anyers Willis. Harry George Weir. John Dacres Cunningham. George Frederick Farquharson Shirreff. Henry John Lyster. Arthur Mordaunt Murray.

The name of the Gentleman Cadet appointed a Lieutenant, with temporary rank, in Gazette dated the 8th July, 1873, is Pichwood, and not Pichwood, as therein stated.

- The correct surname of the Officer heretofore described as Captain M. M. Lane, is Moore-Lane.
- Brigade Depôt, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Hugh Robert Hibbert, from half-pay, late 7th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel John Elias Collings, C.B., retired upon half-pay. Dated 4th February, 1874.
- 1st Foot, Captain Alfred John Ford retires upon half-pay. Dated 4th February, 1874.
- 8th Foot, Lieutenant Edmund William Birch Hope retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigncy. Dated 4th February, 1874.
- 14th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Charles Henry Morris, from the 57th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant in succession to Lieutenant H. McLeod Hutchison, promoted. Dated 4th February, 1874.
- 19th Foot, Lieutenant Edward Archibald Brice to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant J. C. T. Humfrey, promoted. Dated 8th December, 1873.
- 20th Foot, Captain F. Watkins Barlow retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1874.
- 24th Foot, Captain Josiah Erskine Collins, from half-pay, late Ceylon Rifle Regiment, to be Captain, vice Ellis Lee, transferred to the 65th Foot. Dated 4th February, 1874.
- 36th Foot, Lieutenant Farquhar McCrae Bruce, from the 77th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice W. F. Ashton, who exchanges. Dated 4th February, 1874.
- 47th Foot, Captain John T. Lyon Cobham retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1874.

- 57th Foot, Lieutenant Dudley Davison Batty retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 4th February, 1874.
- 59th Foot, Lieutenant William Whitmore Beagin, from the 105th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice Arthur Lapping, deceased. Dated 4th February, 1874.
- 60th Fort, Lieutenant William Tilden to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant E. W. H. Crofton, promoted. Dated 1st November, 1873
- 67th Foot, Lieutenant George Cadell Dobbs receives the value of an Ensigncy, on final transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 4th February, 1874.
- 70th Foot, Lieutenant William Vernon Ford retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigncy. Dated 4th February, 1874.
- 77th Foot, Lieutenant William Francis Ashton, from the 36th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice F. McC. Bruce, who exchanges. Dated 4th February, 1874.
- Medical Department, Surgeon-Major Joseph Salkeld Johnston, from half-pay, to be Surgeon-Major, vice W. Younge Jeeves, retired upon temporary half-pay. Dated 4th February, 1874.

BREVET.

Paymaster and Honorary Captain George Waller Vesey, 4th Hussars, to be Major. Dated 8th December, 1873.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 6th January, 1874, of General William Lennox Lascelles FitzGerald,

Lord de Ros, Colonel of the 4th Hussars, and Deputy-Lieutenant of the Tower of London:—

Lieutenant-General Frederick Johnston to be General. Dated 7th January, 1874.

Major-General Sir Thomas Montague Steele, K.C.B., to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 7th January, 1874.

Brevet Colonel Henry George Hart, from Major, half-pay, Depôt Battalion, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 7th January, 1874.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Rowley Willes Hinxman, 60th Foot. Dated 7th January, 1874.

Major Hugh Stewart Cochrane, V C., 7th Foot.

Dated 7th January, 1874.

Captain and Brevet Major James Burnie Lind, half-pay, late 31st Foot. Dated 7th January, 1874.

The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service to be Colonels:—

Lieutenant-Colonel John Bulkeley Thelwall, C.B., Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 15th September, 1873.

Lieutenant-Colonel Hamilton Forbes, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 29th September, 1873.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Edward Drewe, half-pay, late Depôt Battalion, Deputy Adjutant-General, Ceylon. Dated 25th November, 1873.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward William Dance, Royal (late Madras) Artillery. Dated 14th Decem-

ber, 1873.

The undermentioned Officers having retired on full-pay to have a step of honorary rank as follows, viz.:—

Colonel Robert Barlow M'Crea, Royal Artillery,

to be Major-General Dated 4th February, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Lowndes Randall, Bengal Infantry, to be Colonel. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Stewart, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Colonel. Dated 4th February,

1874.

Surgeon-Major John Brett, M.D., Madras Army, to be Deputy Surgeon-General. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Surgeon-Major Joseph Furlonge Shekleton, Bombay Army, to be Deputy Surgeon-General.

Dated 4th February, 1874.

Major George Miller Dobbin, Royal (late Bengal) Artillery, who retires upon a pension, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 4th February, 1874.

The undermentioned Warrant Officers to have honorary rank as follows, viz.:—

Lieutenant and Deputy Commissary William Pritchard, Bengal Establishment, to be Captain. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Ensign and Assistant Commissary John Haddock, Madras Establishment, to be Lieutenant. Dated

4th February, 1874.

The undermentioned Officers to have the honorary and local rank of Surgeon on retirement:—

Senior Apothecary Frederick James L'Estrange, Bengal Subordinate Medical Establishment. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Sub-Assistant Surgeon J. A. Moore, Subordinate Medical Establishment, Hyderabad Contingent.

Dated 4th February, 1874.

MEMORANDUM.

Lieutenant Albermarle Henry Bertie, half-pay, late 17th Foot, retires from the Service, receiving

the value of his Commission. Dated 16th January, 1874.

County of Orkney and Zetland.

Thomas Traill, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 8th January, 1874.

William Traill, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th January, 1874.

Archer Fortescue, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th January, 1874.

Crown Office, January 31, 1874.

Days and Places appointed for holding the Spring Assizes, 1874.

OXFORD CIRCUIT.

The Right Honourable the Lord Chief Justice of the Court of Common Pleas. Mr. Baron Cleasby.

Berkshire, Friday, February 27, at Reading. Oxfordshire, Tuesday, March 3, at Oxford. Worcestershire, Saturday, March 7, at Worcester.

City of Worcester, the same day, at the City of Worcester.

Staffordshire, Thursday, March 12, at Stafford. Salop, Thursday, March 19, at Shrewsbury. Herefordshire, Tuesday, March 24, at Hereford. Monmouthshire, Friday, March 27, at Monmouth. Gloucestershire, Wednesday, April 1, at Gloucester.

City of Gloucester, the same day, at the City of Gloucester.

HOME CIRCUIT.

The Right Honourable the Lord Chief Baron. Mr. Justice Lush.

Hertfordshire, Monday, March 2, at Hertford. Essex, Thursday, March 5, at Chelmsford. Kent, Monday, March 9, at Maidstone.

Sussex, Monday, March 16, at Lewes.

Surrey, Monday, March 23, at Kingston-upon-Thames.

NORFOLK CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Blackburn. Mr. Justice Brett.

Rutlandshire, Monday, March 2, at Oakham. Leicestershire, Tuesday, March 3, at the Castle

of Leicester.

Borough of Leicester, the same day, at the Borough of Leicester.

Northamptonshire, Saturday, March 7, at North-

ampton.

Buckinghamshire, Thursday, March 12, at Aylesbury.

Bedfordshire, Monday, March 16, at Bedford Huntingdonshire, Thursday, March 19, at Huntingdon.

Cambridgeshire, Saturday, March 21, at the

County Courts.

Norfolk, Thursday, March 26, at the Castle of Norwich.

City of Norwich, the same day, at the Guildhall of the City of Norwich.

Suffolk, Wednesday, April 1, at Ipswich.

WESTERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Keating. Mr. Justice Quain.

Southampton, Thursday, February 26, at Winchester.

Dorsetshire, Thursday, March 5, at Dorchester. Devonshire, Tuesday, March 10, at the Castle of Exeter.

City of Exeter, the same day, at the Guildhall of the City of Exeter.

Cornwall, Tuesday, March 17, at Bodmin.

Somersetshire, Saturday, March 21, at Taunton.

Wiltshire, Friday, March 27, at Devizes.

City of Bristol, Thursday, April 2, at the Guildhall of the City of Bristol.

CIRCUIT of the PRINCIPALITY of WALES and COUNTY PALATINE of CHESTER.

NORTH WALES.

Mr. Baron Pigott.

Montgomeryshire, Monday, March 9, at Newtown. Merionethshire, Thursday, March 12, at Dolgelly. Carnarvonshire, Monday, March 16, at Carnarvon.

Anglesey, Thursday, March 19, at Beaumaris. Denbighshire, Monday, March 23, at Ruthin. Flintshire, Wedne-day, March 25, at Mold. Cheshire, Saturday, March 28, at Chester Castle.

SOUTH WALES.

Mr. Justice Honyman.

Pembrokeshire, Saturday, February 21, at Haverfordwest.

Town and County of Haverfordwest, the same day, at the Town of Haverfordwest.

Cardiganshire, Friday, February 27, at Cardigan. Carmarthenshire, Tuesday, March 3, at Carmarthen.

Borough of Carmarthen, the same day, at the Borough of Carmarthen.

Glamorganshire, Saturday, March 7, at Swansea. Brechnockshire, Saturday, March 21, at Brecon. Radnorshire, Thursday, March 26, at Presteign.

NORTHERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Denman. Mr. Justice Amphlett.

Westmorland, Saturday, February 14, at Appleby. Cumberland, Tuesday, February 17, at Carlisle.

Northumberland, Saturday, February 21, at the Castle of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

Newcastle-upon-Tyne, the same day, at the Guildhall of the said Town.

Durham, Saturday, February 28, at Durham.

MIDLAND CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Archibald. Mr. Baron Pollock.

Warwickshire, Wednesday, February 25, at Warwick.

Derbyshire, Tuesday, March 3, at Derby.

Nottinghamshire, Saturday, March 7, at Nottingham.

Town of Nottingham, the same day, at the Town of Nottingham.

Lincolnshire, Saturday, March 14, at Lincoln.

City of Lincoln, the same day, at the City of Lincoln.

Yorkshire, North and East Riding Division, Friday, March 20, at the Castle of York.

City of York, the same day, at the Guildhall of the City of York.

Yorkshire, West Riding Division, Thursday, March 26, at Leeds.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 6, 1874.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, February 6, 1874.

NOTICE is hereby given, that The Queen will hold Drawing Rooms at Buckingham Palace, on Thursday, the 26th of February, and on Wednesday, the 25th of March next, at three o'clock.

N.B. The Knights of the several Orders are to appear in their Collars at the Drawing Room on the 25th of March, it being a Collar-Day.

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S DRAWING ROOMS AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE.

By Her Majesty's Command.

The Ladies who propose to attend Her Majesty's Drawing Rooms, at Buckingham Palace, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names clearly written thereon, one to be left with the Queen's Page in Attendance, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to the Queen.

PRESENTATIONS.

Any Lady who proposes to be presented to The Queen must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, before twelve o'clock, two clear days before the Drawing Room, a card with her name written thereon, and with the name of the Lady by whom she is to be presented. In order to carry out the existing regulation, that no presentation can be made at a Drawing Room excepting by a Lady actually attending that Court, it is also necessary that an intimation from the Lady who is to make the presentation, of her intention to be present, should accompany the presentation card above referred to, which will be submitted to The Queen for Her Majesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's Command, that no presentations shall be made at the Drawing Room, except in accordance with the above regulations.

It is particularly requested that in every case the names be very distinctly written upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing

them to the Queen.

It is not expected that Gentlemen will present themselves at Drawing Rooms, except in attendance on the Ladies of their families.

Any Gentleman who under these circumstances should desire to be presented to The Queen, will observe the same regulations as are in force for Her Majesty's Levees.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at two o'clock.

SYDNEY, Lord Chamberlain.

1874.

The Prince of Wales's Council Chamber, Buckingham Gate, February 5, 1874.

His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Seal of the Duchy of Cornwall appointing John Christopher Baron Lethbridge, Esq., of Tregeare, Sheriff of the County of Cornwall.

Crown Office, February 5, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to constitute and appoint—

Charles Clark, Esq., of the Middle Temple, Thomas Ewing Winslow, Esq., of the Middle Temple,

Samuel Joyce, Esq., of Gray's Inn,

Frederick Waller, Esq., of the Inner Temple, William Henry Gunning Bagshawe, Esq., of the Middle Temple,

William Pearson, Esq., of the Inner Temple, Charles Henry Hopwood, Esq., of the Middle

Temple,

John Westlake, Esq., of Lincoln's Inn,

Joseph William Chitty, Esq., of Lincoln's Inn, John Patrick Murphy, Esq., of the Middle Temple,

Alfred George Marten, Esq., of the Inner

Temple,

Robert Griffith Williams, Esq., of the Middle

Temple,

Arthur Cohen, Esq., of the Inner Temple, and Samuel Danks Waddy, Esq., of the Inner Temple,

of Her Majesty's Counsel learned in the Law.

Crown Office, February 4, 1874.

MEMBERS reterned to serve in the PARLIA-MENT summoned to be holden at Wesminster, on the 5th day of March, 1874.

County of Monmouth.

The Honourable Frederick Courtnay Morgan, of Ruperra Castle, Glamorganshire.

Henry Richard Charles Somerset (commonly called Lord Henry Charles Somerset), of Troy House, Monmouthshire.

County of Stafford.

Western Division.

Alexander Staveley Hill, of Oxley Manor, Staffordshire, one of Her Majesty's Counsel.

Francis Monckton, of Stretton Hall, Penkridge, Stafford, Esq.

County of Haddington.

Francis Wemyss Charteris (commonly called Lord Elcho), of 23, St. James'-place, London.

St. Andrew's District of Burghs.

Edward Ellice, Esq., of 28, Grosvenor-square, London.

City of Peterborough.

Thomson Hankey, Esq., of 59, Portland-place, London.

George Hammond Whalley, Esq., of Plas Madoc, Denbighshire.

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Borough of Wakefield.

Edward Green, Esq., of Heath Old Hall, near Wakefield.

Borough of Devizes.

Sir Thomas Bateson, of 12, Grosvenor-place, London, Bart.

Borough of Stockton.

Joseph Dodds, of Stockton, Solicitor.

Town and Port of Hastings.

Thomas Brassey, of Normanhurst, Battle, Esq. Ughtred James Kay Shuttleworth, of Warriorsquare, Hastings, Esq.

Borough of Birkenhead.

John Laird, Esq.

City of Lincoln.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Chaplin, of Blankney, Lincolnshire.

Charles Seely, of Brook House, Isle of Wight, Esq.

Borough of Midhurst.

Charles George Perceval, of Passenham, North-amptonshire.

Borough of Middlesborough.

Henry William Ferdinand Bolckow, of Marton Hall, Ironmaster.

Borough of Walsall.

Charles Forster, of Lysways Hall, Staffordshire.

Borough of Richmond.

John Charles Dundas, of No. 1, Halkin-street West, Esq.

Borough of Bedford.

Samuel Whitbread, of Ennismore-gardens, Kensington, Esq.

Frederick Charles Polhill-Turner, of Howsbury

Hall, Bedfordshire, Esq.

Borough of Woodstock.

The Honourable Randolph Henry Spencer Churchill, of Blenheim Palace, in the county of Oxford.

County of Flint.

Richard De Aquila Grosvenor (commonly called Lord Richard Grosvenor), of 76, Brook-street, Vice-Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household.

Borough of Shrewsbury.

Charles Cccil Cotes, of Woodcote, in the county of Salop, Esq.

Henry Robertson, of Palé Corwen, Merionethshire, Esq.

County of Northampton.

Southern Division.

Sir Rainald Knightley, of Fawsley, Northamptonshire, Bart.

Fairfax William Cartwright, of Floore House, Northamptonshire, Esq.

Northern Division.

The Right Honourable George Ward Hunt, of Wadenhoe, Northamptonshire.

Sackville George Stopford Sackville, of Drayton House, Northamptonshire, Esq.

Borough of Wigan.

The Honourable James Ludovic Lindsay (commonly called Lord Lindsay), of 47, Brookstreet, London.

Thomas Knowles, of Hatton Hall, Lancashire,

Colliery Proprietor.

City of Bath.

Arthur Divett Hayter, of 76, Grosvenor-street. Nathaniel George Philips Bousfield, of Parkside, Kendal, Esq.

Borough of Shaftesbury.

Vere Fane Benett, Stanford, of Pythouse, Wilts, Esq.

Borough of Chipping Wycombe.

Lieutenant - Colonel the Honourable William Henry Peregrine Carington.

County of Sligo.

Sir Robert Gore Booth, of Lissadell, Sligo, Bart. Denis Maurice O'Conor, of Cloonalis, Roscommon, Esq.

City of Kilkenny.

Sir John Gray, of Charleville House, Rathmines, county of Dublin.

Borough of Downpatrick.

John Mulholland, of Ballywalter Park, county of Down, Esq.

Town of Haverfordwest.

William, Baron Kensington, of 69, Grosvenor-street, London (a Peer of Ireland).

County of Linlithgow.

Peter McLagan, of Amondell House, Mid Calder, Esq.

County of Bedford.

Richard Thomas Gilpin, of Hockliffe Grange, Bedfordshire, Esq.

Francis Bassett, of the Heath, Leighton Buzzard, Banker.

Borough of Stamford.

Vice-Admiral Sir John Charles Dalrymple Hay, Bart.

Mid-Lincolnshire.

Henry Chaplin, of Blankney Hall, Lincolnshire, Esq.

The Honourable Edward Stanhope, of 3, West Eaton-place, London.

County of Carlow.

Henry Bruen, of Oak Park, Esq. Arthur Kavanagh, of Borris House, Esq.

Borough of Cardigan.

David Davies, of Llandinam, Montgomeryshire.

Borough of New Windsor.

Robert Richardson - Gardner, of 46, Sussexgardens, Hyde Park, Esq.

Borough of Macclesfield.

William Coare Brocklehurst, of Butley Hall, near Macclesfield, Esq.

David Chadwick, of Collar House, Prestbury, near Macclesfield, Esq.

City of York.

George Leeman, of Blossan-street, York, Esq. James Lowther, of Wilton Castle, Redcar, Esq.

Town and Port of Sandwich.

Henry Arthur Brassey, of Preston Hall, Aylesford.

The Right Honourable Edward Hugessen Knatchbull-Hugessen, of Smeeth, near Ashford.

County of Salop. Northern Division.

John Ralph Ormsby-Gore, of Brogntyn, near Oswestry, in the county of Salop, Esq.

George Cecil Orlando Bridgeman (commonly called Viscount Newport), of Weston Park, Salop.

Southern Division.

Major-General the Right Honourable Sir Percy Egerton Herbert, of Styche, Salop.

Edward Corbett, of Longnor Hall, Salop, Colonel of Militia.

University of Glasgow.

Edward Strathearn Gordon, Queen's Counsel, Doctor of Laws, Dean of the Faculty of Advocates.

University of London.

The Right Honourable Robert Lowe, of 34, Lowndes-square, Middlesex.

February 5.

City of Oxford.

Sir William George Granville Venables Vernon Harcourt, Her Majesty's Solicitor-General.

The Right Honourable Edward Cardwell, Secretary of State for War.

Borough of Plymouth.

Edward Bates, of Manydown Park, Hants, Esq. Sampson Samuel Lloyd, of Moor Hall, Sutton Coldfield, Warwickshire, Esq.

Borough of Stroud.

Walter John Stanton, of Culls, Stroud, Woollen Cloth Manufacturer.

Sebastian Stewart Dickinson, of Brown's-hill House, Stroud, Esq.

Borough of Buckingham.

Egerton Hubbard, of Addington Manor, Bucking-hamshire, Esq.

Borough of Grantham.

Sir Hugh Arthur Henry Cholmeley, of Easton Hall, Bart.

Henry Francis Cockayne Cust, of Ellesmere, Salop, Esq.

Borough of Portsmouth.

Sir James Dalrymple Horn Elphinstone, of Logie Elphinstone, N.B.

The Honourable Thomas Charles Bruce, of 42, Hill-street, Berkeley-square.

Borough of Reading.

Sir Francis Henry Goldsmid, of St. John's Lodge, Bart.

George John Shaw Lefevre, of Ascot Wood, Sunninghill, Berks, Esq.

City of Winchester.

William Barrow Simonds, of Winchester, Esq. Arthur Robert Naghten, of Millbrook, Southampton, Esq.

Borough of Horsham.

The Right Honourable Sir William Robert Seymour Vesey FitzGerald, K.C.S.I., of Holbrook, Horsham, Sussex.

Borough of Cambridge.

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John Corbett, of Impney Lodge, near Droitwich, Salt Manufacturer.

Borough of Whitby.

William Henry Gladstone, Esq., one of the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury.

Borough of Gateshead.

Walter Henry James, of Updown Park, Sandwich, Esq.

Borough of Halifax.

John Crossley, of Manor Heath, Halifax, Carpet Manufacturer.

The Right Honourable James Stansfeld, of Stoke Lodge, Hyde Park-gate.

Borough of Kendal.

John Whitwell, of 112, Highgate, Kendal, Carpet Manufacturer.

Borough of Bury.

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Borough of Newport.

Charles Cavendish Clifford, of Westfield, Ryde, Esq.

Borough of Boston.

William James Ingram, of Walton-on-Thames, Barrister-at-Law.

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George Clive, of Perrystone, Herefordshire, Esq.

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Borough of Great Grimsby.

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Borough of Scarborough.

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Borough of Knaresborough.

Basil Thomas Woodd, of Conyngham Hall, Knaresborough, Esq.

Borough of Stafford.

Thomas Salt, of Weeping Cross, Staffordshire, Esq,

Alexander Macdonald, of Holytown, Lanarkshire, Secretary of the Miners' Association for Scotland, and President of the Miners' National Association.

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Gilbert Greenall, of Walton Hall, Cheshire, Brewer.

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Borough of Evesham.

James Bourne, of Heathfield House, Wavertree, Lancashire.

County of Devon.

Northern Division.

The Right Honourable Sir Stafford Henry Northcote, Bart., C.B.

Sir Thomas Dyke Acland, Bart.

Eastern Division.

Sir Lawrence Palk, Bart. Sir John Henry Kennaway, Bart.

Southern Division.

Sir Massey Lopes Lopes, of Maristow, Bart. John Carpenter Garnier, of Mount Tavy, Tavistock, Esq.

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Borough of Newry.

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Borough of Greenwich.

Thomas William Boord, of Belsize-road, South

Hampstead, Distiller.

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Borough of Ashton-under-Lyne.

Thomas Walton Mellor, of the Reynors, Ashtonunder-Lyne, Esq.

Borough of Stalybridge.

Tom Harrop Sidebottom, of Etherow House Hollingworth, Cheshire, Esq.

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Robert William Duff, Esq., Landowner, residing at Fetteresso Castle, Kincardineshire.

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George Edward Price, of Onslow-gardens, Middlesex, Retired Commander R.N.

Borough of Christchurch.

Sir Henry Drummond Wolff, K.C.M.G.

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The Honourable William Lowther, of Lowther Lodge, Kensington Gore, London.

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Sir Edmund Buckley, of Plas-Dinas, Mawddwy, Merionethshire, Bart.

William Shepherd Allen, of Thornbury Hall, Staffordshire, Esq.

City of Lichfield.

Richard Dyott, of Freeford, Staffordshire, Lieutenant-Colonel of Militia.

Borough of Preston.

Edward Hermon, of Preston, Cotton Spinner and Manufacturer.

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Borough of Ipswich.

James Redfoord Bulwer, of King's Bench-walk, Temple, one of Her Majesty's Counsel.

John Patteson Cobbold, of the Cliff, Ipswich, Banker.

Borough of Darlington.

Edmund Backhouse, of Middleton Lodge, Yorkshire, Banker.

Town of Kingston-upon-Hull.

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Charles Morgan Norwood, of Billiter-street, London, Ship Owner.

Borough of Cockermouth.

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Edmund Turnor, of Panton Hall, Lincolnshire, Esq.

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Thomas Richardson, of Kirk Levington, near Yarm, Ironmaster.

Borough of Bolton.

John Hick, of Hill Top, Sharples, Lancashire, Esq.

John Kynaston Cross, of Fernclough, Heaton, Lancashire, Cotton Spinner.

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Borough of Frome.

Henry Charles Lopes, of East Hill, near Frome, one of Her Majesty's Counsel.

Borough of Rochdale.

Thomas Bayley Potter, of Pitnacrec, Perthshire, Esq.

(H. 866.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., February 3, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Monte Video, stating that on account of more cases of cholera being reported in Buenos Ayres, the quarantine with that and other Argentine ports has been increased to twenty days at Monte Video, which has the effect of shutting off all communication except by the Ocean Mail Steamers.

(H. 867.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., February 3, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon, stating that by Government Notice at that place, the Island of Mauritius has been declared free from yellow fever, the port of Riga free from cholera morbus since the 28th November last, and the port of Buenos Ayres "infected" with cholera morbus since the 10th December last.

(H. 891.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., February 4, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Letter from Her Majesty's Consul at Pernambuco, stating that on the 15th ultimo, both small-pox and yellow fever continued to be epidemic in that port and city.

(H. 898)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., February 4, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, stating that the Spanish Board of Health had published three Notices, dated the 27th ultimo, by

Firstly. Arrivals in Spanish ports from the United States of America with clean bills of health and Spanish visa are admitted to free pratique if in a good hygienic state and with no suspicious case on board, provided that in the opinion of the Local Director and Board of Health there is no danger to public health.

Secondly. A quarantine is established on account of yellow fever on all arrivals from Pernambuco and neighbouring places (Brazil) which have put to sea since the 20th December last.

Thirdly. On account of cases of cholera reported from Argentine ports, all vessels which have sailed from thence since the 1st December last, and which arrive in Spanish ports in a good hygienic state, with clean bills of health and with no suspicious case on board are placed under three days' observation.

(H. 932.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W. February 5, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs the subjoined list taken from the Official Madrid Gazette of the 28th ultimo, of foreign ports, the arrivals from which are subjected to buarantine in Spain:—

Subject to Quarantine.

Arrivals from Germany.

The Elbe, excepting Hamburgh (3rd October and 2nd December, 1873. Cholera).

Königsberg up to the Prussian Coast (Septem-

ber 17, 1873. Cholera).

Stettin (October 2, 1873. Cholera).

Arrivals from Austria.

All ports except Trieste (September 17, 1873, and January 19, 1874. Cholera).

Arrivals from Brazil.

Bahia (August 9, 1873. Yellow fever). Parà (August 18, 1873. Yellow fever).

Rio Janeiro (January 16, 1874. Yellow fever).

Pernambuco (January 27, 1874. Yellow fever).

Arrivals from Guinea.

All ports between the Cape of Las Palmas and the Gulf of Bonny, inclusive (January 16, 1874. Yellow fever).

Arrivals from Italy.

Castellamare (October 30, 1873. Cholera).

Arrivals from Oceania. Isle of Java (January 16, 1874. Cholera).

Arrivals from Holland.

Rotterdam (December 2, 1873, and January 19, 1874. Cholera).

Arrivals from Russia.

From the German frontier, all the coast up to Libau (September 17, 1873. Cholera).

Cronstadt (January 16, 1874. Cholera).

Arrivals from Siam.

Bangkok (September 4, 1873. Cholera).

Subject to Observation.

(Brazil). Marcio (May 9, 1873. Yellow fever). Argentine Republic (January 27, 1873. Yellow fever).

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 10, 1874.

Master of the Horse's Office, Royal Mews, Pimlico, February 1, 1874.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable Henry William John Byng, Groom in Waiting, to be Equerry in Ordinary to Her Majesty, vice Colonel Lord De Ros, resigned.

St. James's Palace, February 1, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint John Francis Campbell of Islay, Esq., to be one of the Grooms in Waiting in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable Henry William John Byng, now one of the Equerries in Ordinary to Her Majesty.

Whitehall, February 7, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto John Bush, Esq., Her Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Class of Knight Commander of the Order of the White Elephant, conferred upon him by the King of Siam as a promotion of the same Order, which he was allowed to accept in 1862, as well as the Gold Medal of the Siamese Order of Merit, he being actually and entirely employed beyond Her Majesty's Dominions, in the service of the King of Siam.

Whitehall, February 9, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend John Ingle Dredge to the Vicarage of Buckland Brewer, in the county of Devon, and diocese of Exeter, void by the resignation of the

Reverend Thomas Adams Colling.

The Queen has also been pleased to present the Reverend Donald Macdougall to the church of Rothiemurchus, in the United Parishes of Duthel and Rothiemurchus, in the presbytery of Abernethy, and Shire of Inverness, vacant by the translation of the Reverend John Grant to the parish of Cromdale.

Downing Street, February 7, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Alexander George Young, Esq., to be Government Secretary and Secretary to the Court of Policy and Combined Court of the Colony of British Guiana.

Downing Street, February 9, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Alexander Parker, Esq., to be a Member of the Executive Council of the Island of Saint Helena.

Her Majesty has also been pleased to appoint John Lloyd, Esq., to be a Member of the Legis-

lative Council of the Virgin Islands.

Her Majesty has further been pleased to appoint Henry Byng, Esq., to be Colonial Secretary of the Island of Tobago.

Crown Office, February 6, 1874.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the PARLIA-MENT summoned to be holden at Westminster, on the 5th day of March, 1874.

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Sir Charles Russell, of 45, St. James's-place, St. James's-square, Bart.

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Esq.

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The Right Honourable Charles Pelham Villiers, of Sloane-street, Chelsea.

Thomas Matthias Weguelin, of Grosvenor-gardens, Middlesex, Merchant.

County of Brechnock.

The Honourable Godfrey Charles Morgan, of Tredegar Park, Monmouthshire.

Borough of the five Towns of Swansea, Loughor, Neath, Aberavon, and Kenfig.

Lewis Llewelyn Dillwyn, of Hendrefoilan, Glamorganshire, Esq.

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Town of Paisley.

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Town of Greenock.

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County of Forfar.

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James Yeaman, Craigie Cliff, Dundee, Merchant. Edward Jenkins, 5, Paper - buildings, Temple, Loudon, Barrister-at-Law.

City of Manchester.

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Ralph Shuttleworth Allen, of Hampton Manor, in the county of Somerset.

Richard Bright, of Stocks, in the county of Herts, Esq.

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Sir James Clarke Lawrence, Bart., of 94, Westbourne-terrace, Hyde Park.

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County of Chester.

Eastern Division.

William John Legh, of Lyme Park, Cheshire, Esq.

William Cunliffe Brooks, of Barlow Hall, Lancashire.

Mid Division.

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Lieutenant - Colonel Egerton Leigh, of Jodrell Hall.

Western Division.

Sir Philip de Malpas Grey Egerton, Bart.

Major Wilbraham Frederick Tollemache, Tilston
Lodge, Cheshire.

Borough of Dudley.

Henry Brinsley Sheridan, of Oaklands, St. Peter's, Isle of Thanet, Esq.

County of Inverness.

Donald Cameron, of Lochiel.

Combined Counties of Ross and Cromarty.

Alexander Matheson, of Ardross Castle, Ross-shire.

Borough of Salford.

Charles Edward Cawley, of the Heath, Salford, Engineer.

William Thomas Charley, of Crown Office-row, Temple, Barrister-at-Law.

Borough of Leeds.

Robert Meek Carter, Coal Merchant, Leeds.

William Saint James Wheelhouse, Barrister-at-Law, Leeds.

Robert Tennant, of Scarcroft, near Leeds, Flax Spinner.

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George Melly, of 90, Chatham-street, Liverpool, Merchant.

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Borough of Aylesbury.

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Borough of Blackburn.

Henry Master Feilden, of Witton Park, Laucashire.

William Edward Briggs, of Beardwood Hall, Blackburn, Cotton Spinner.

Borough of Liverpool.

The Honourable Dudley Francis Stuart Ryder (commonly called Viscount Sandon).

John Torr, of Carlett Park, Cheshire.

William Rathbone, of Green Bank, Liverpool, Merchant.

Borough of Sunderland.

Edward Temperley Gourley, of Park-place East, Sunderland, Merchant and Shipowner.

Colonel Sir Henry Marshman Havelock, of 70, Chester-square, Bart., V.C., C.B.

Borough of Huddersfield.

Edward Aldam Leatham, of Whitley Hall, Banker.

County of Nottingham.

Northern Division.

Frederic Chatfield Smith, of Bramcote, Notting-hamshire, Esq.

The Honourable George Edmund Milnes Monckton, of Serlby Hall, Nottinghamshire.

Southern Division.

Thomas Blackborne Thoroton Hildyard, of Flintham Hall, Esq.

George Storer, of Thoroton Hall, Bingham, Nottinghamshire, Esq.

City of Norwich.

Jeremiah James Colman, of Carrow House, Norwich, Esq.

John Walter Huddleston. of Princes-terrace, Hyde Park, one of Her Majesty's Counsel.

Borough of Flint.

Peter Ellis Eyton, of Englefield House, Rhyl, Attorney-at-Law.

Borough of Wenlock.

The Right Honourable George Cecil Weld Forester, of Meaford Hall, Staffordshire.

Alexander Hargreaves Brown, of Grosvenorgardens, London, Esq.

County of Cambridge.

The Right Honourable Henry Bouverie William Brand.

George John Manners (commonly called Lord George John Manners).

The Honourable Eliot Constantine Yorke.

Borough of Northampton.

Pickering Phipps, of Cottingtree, Northamptonshire, Common Brewer.

Charles Gilpin, Esq., of 10, Bedford - square, Director of Public Companies.

Borough of Wednesbury.

Alexander Brogden, Esq., of 51, Princes-gate, London, Ironmaster.

Dumfries District of Burghs.

Ernest Noel, of Lydhurst, Hayward's Heath, Sussex, Esq.

County of Wigton.

Robert Vans Agnew, of Barnbarroch, Wigton-shire, Esq.

Borough of Liskeard.

The Right Honourable Edward Horsman, of No. 1, Richmond-terrace, Whitehall, London.

Kilmarnock District of Burghs.

James Fortescue Harrison, of Crawley, Down Park, Sussex.

Borough of Oldham.

Frederick Lowten Spinks, of Brinley House, near Faversham, Serjeant-at-Law.

John Morgan Cobbett, of Skeynes, Edenbridge, Kent, Barrister-at-Law.

City of Coventry.

Henry William Eaton, of Princes-gate, Hyde Park, Esq.

Henry Mather Jackson, of Oxford-square, Middesex, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel.

February 9.

Town of Galway.

George Morris, Esq., of Well Park, Galway. William Ulick Tristram, Viscount St. Lawrence, of Howth Castle, Dublin.

Borough of Mallow.

John George Macarthy, of Harbour View-terrace, Cork.

Borough of the Tower Hamlets.

Charles Thomson Ritchie, of Roding House, Woodford Bridge, Merchant and Manufacturer. Joseph D'Aguilar Samuda, of Cubitt Town, Poplar, Ship Builder.

County of Kincardine.

Major-General Sir George Balfour, 6, Clevelandgardens, Hyde Park, London.

Leith District of Burghs.

Donald Robert Macgregor, Esq., of Woodburn, Edinburgh.

County of Aberdeen.

Eastern Division.

William Dingwall Fordyce, of Brucklay Castle, Aberdeenshire.

Western Division.

William McCombic, Farmer, Tillyfour, Aberdeenshire.

City of Aberdeen.

John Farley Leith, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel learned in the Law.

County of Argyll.

John Douglas Sutherland Campbell (commonly called Marquis of Lorne).

Borough of Beaumaris.

Morgan Lloyd, of 43, Chester-square, London, one of Her Majesty's Counsel.

County of Stirling.

Sir William Edmonstone, Bart., of Colzuim House, Stirlingshire.

Borough of Brecon.

James Price William Gwynne Holford, of Bucklam, in the county of Brecon, Esq.

County of Anglesey.

Richard Davies, of Treborth, Carnarvonshire, Merchant and Ship Owner.

Borough of Belfast.

James Porter Corry, Esq., J.P., of Dunraven, Belfast.

William Johnston, Esq., of Ballykilbeg.

County of Cork.

McCarthy Downing, of Prospect House, Skibbereen, in the county of Cork.

William Shaw, of Beaumount, in the county of Cork.

Borough of Helston.

Adolphus William Young, of Hare Hatch House, Berkshire. \mathbf{L}

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Borough of Wexford.

William Archer Redmond, of Ballytrent Broadway, county of Wexford, Esq.

Borough of New_Radnor.

The Right Honourable Spencer Compton Cavendish (commonly called Marquis of Hartington).

Ayr District of Burghs.

Sir William James Montgomery Cuninghame, Bart., of Corschill, Ayrshire.

County of Stafford. Northern Division.

The Right Honourable Sir Charles Bowyer Adderley, of Hams Hall, Warwickshire.

Colin Minton Campbell, of Woodseat, Stafford-shire, Esq.

City of Waterford.

Rickard Power, of Pembrokestown, county of Waterford, Esq.

Purcell O'Gorman, of Springfield, county of Kilkenny, Retired Military Officer.

Borough of Bandon Bridge.

Alexander Swanston, of Norwood, county of Middlesex.

Borough of Dungarvon.

John O'Keeffe, of Ballylemon Lodge, county of Waterford, Esq.

Borough of Enniskillen.

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Borough of Kinsale.

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Borough of Youghal.

Sir Joseph Neale McKenna, Knt., of 67, Lancaster-gate, Hyde Park, London, and of Ardo Ardmon, county of Waterford.

Borough of Athlone.

John James Ennis and by equal number of votes.

Borough of Dundalk.

Philip Callan, of Cookstown House, Ardee, Esq.

City of Dublin.

Sir Arthur Edward Guinness, of 18, Lower Leeson-street, Dublin, Bart.

The Right Honourable Maurice Brooks, of No. 4, Sackville-street, Lord Mayor of the city of Dublin, Merchant.

Borough of Finsbury.

William Torrens McCullagh Torrens, of 49, St. George's-road, Middlesex, Barrister-at-Law.

The Right Honourable Andrew Lusk, of the Mansion House, Lord Mayor of the City of London.

Town of Southampton.

Sir Frederick Perkins, Knt.

The Right Honourable Russell Gurney.

County of Mayo.

George Ekins Browne, of No. 33, Palace-gardensterrace, Kensington, Middlesex, Esq.

Thomas Tighe, of the Heath, county of Mayo, Esq.

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Borough of Morpeth.

Thomas Burt, of 35, Lovaine-crescent, Newcastle, Secretary to the Northumberland Miners' Mutual Confident Association.

Borough of Maldon.

George Montagu Warren Sandford, of 33, Hertford-street, Mayfair, Middlesex.

County of Caithness.

Sir John George Tollemache Sinclair, Bart.

Borough of Southwark.

John Locke, of 63, Eaton-place, one of Her Majesty's Counsel.

Colonel Francis Marcus Beresford, of Sheen House, East Sheen, Surrey.

County of Surrey.

Eastern Division.

James Watney the younger, of 13, Hyde Parkgate, Middlesex, Common Brewer.

William Grantham, of Sussex - place, Selhurst-road, Surrey, Barrister-at-Law.

Montrose District of Burghs.

William Edward Baxter, Kincaldrum, Forfarshire, Merchant.

City of New Sarum.

Granville Richard Ryder, of 2, Princes-terrace, Knightsbridge, Esq.

John Alfred Lush, of Fisherton Auger, Wilts, M.D.

Borough of Brighton.

James Lloyd Ashbury, of No. 6, Eastern-terrace, Brighton, Esq.

Major-General Charles Cameron Shute, of 63, Upper Brunswick-place, Hove, Sussex.

Borough of Bewdley.

Charles Harrison, Esq., of Areley-court, Worcestershire.

Borough of Tamworth.

The Right Honourable Sir Robert Peel, of Drayton Manor, Staffordshire.

Robert William Hanbury, of East Close, Christchurch, Hants, Esq.

Borough of Newark-upon-Trent.

Thomas Earp, of Newark-upon-Trent, Brewer. Samuel Boteler Bristowe, of Fairfield Lodge, Twickenham, Queen's Counsel.

Borough of Andover.

Captain Henry Wellesley, of Conholt, Wiltshire.

Borough of Dorchester.

William Ernest Brymer, of Ilsington House, Dorsetshire, Esq.

Borough of Weymouth and Melcombe Regis.

Henry Edwards, of 53, Berkeley-square, London, Esq.

Sir Frederic John William Johnstone, of Westerhall, Dumfriesshire, Bart.

Borough of Penryn.

David James Jenkins, of 131, Highbury New Park, London, Merchant and Shipowner.

Henry Thomas Cole, of 17, Prince of Walesterrace, Kensington, one of Her Majesty's Counsel.

Borough of Chatham.

Admiral George Elliot, of 17, St. George's square, Pimlico.

Borough of Warwick.

George William John Repton. of Odell, Bedfordshire, Esq.

Arthur Wellesley Peel, of 70, Eaton-place, Middlesex. Esq.

Borough of Launceston.

James Henry Deakin, of Werrington Park, Devonshire, Esq.

Borough of Lymington.

Edmund Hegan Kennard, of No. 5, Seamoreplace, Mayfair, Middlesex, Esq.

February 10.

Borough of Tralee.

Daniel O'Donoghue, of Tomies, near Killarney, county of Kerry (commonly called The O'Donoghue of the Glens).

City of London.

William James Richmond Cotton, of Theobald, Cheshunt, Hertfordshire, Merchant.

Philip Twells, of Chase Side House, Enfield, Middlesex, Banker.

John Gellibrand Hubbard, of Princes - gate, Knightsbridge, Middlesex, Merchant.

The Right Honourable George Joachim Göschen, First Lord of the Admiralty.

Borough of Denbigh.

Watkin Williams, of Plas Draw, Ruthin, Queen's Counsel.

Borough of Ennis.

William Stacpoole, of Ballyalla, county of Clare, Esq.

Borough of Coleraine.

Daniel Taylor, of Millburn, county of Londonderry, Esq.

City of Limerick.

Isaac Butt, of 64, Eccles-street, Dublin, one of Her Majesty's Counsel.

Richard O'Shaughnessy, of 6, Upper Fitz-william-street, Dublin, Barrister-at-Law.

Borough of New Ross.

John Dunbar, of No. 4, Garden-court, Temple, in the city of London.

County of Essex.

Western Division.

Sir Henry John Selwin-Ibbetson, of Down Hall, Bart.

Eustace Brownlow Henry Gascoyne Cecil (commonly called Lord Eustace Cecil), of 32, Eccleston-square.

Eastern Division.

James Round, of Birch, Colchester, Esq. Lieutenant-Colonel Samuel Brise Buggles-Brise, of Spains Hall, Finchingfield.

Southern Division.

Thomas Charles Baring, of Highbeach, near Loughton, Merchant.

William Thomas Makins, of 34, Holland-park, Bayswater, Esq.

Borough of Dungannon.

Thomas Alexander Dickson, Esq., Merchant, of Milltown House, Dungannon.

Town of Drogheda.

William Hagarty O'Leary, of York-street, Dublin.

Town of Carrickfergus.

Marriott Robert Dalway, of Bella Hill, county of Antrim, Esq.

(S. & C. 206.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, February 9, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Decree of the Chilian Government, dated 25th September last, by which the raw material for the fabrication of ropes and bagging, and the pulp of cocoa nut known in trade by the name of "Coprah" or "Pufa" are declared free of import duty.

Admiralty, 7th February, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Staff Surgeon John L. Palmer has been placed on the Retired List from the 3rd instant.

Admiralty, 10th February, 1874.

The Reverend Frederick Jeremiah Matthews has this day been appointed a Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

War Office, 10th February, 1874. MILITIA.

1st Royal Cheshire.

Lieutenant Henry John Potts to be Captain. Dated 11th February, 1874. Lieutenant Rys Rainier Jones to be Captain. Dated 11th February, 1874.

1st Durham.

Captain Henry Thomas Thornton Salvin resigns his Commission. Dated 11th February, 1874. Lieutenant Edward Gerard resigns his Commission. Dated 11th February, 1874.

Durham Artillery.

Lieutenant Francis Henry Drake resigns his Commission. Dated 11th February, 1874.

Royal North Gloucester.

Eustace Reginald Maudslay, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 11th February, 1874.

Hants, Isle of Wight Artillery.

Lieutenant James Lindsay Maccall resigns his Commission. Dated 11th February, 1874.

Hertford.

Lieutenant Leicester Wellesley Compton Vernon resigns his Commission. Dated 11th February, 1874.

Captain and Adjutant Henry Grimston Hale resigns his Commission, and is placed on a retired allowance, also is granted the honorary rank of Major, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 11th February, 1874.

4th Royal Lancashire.

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Phibbs resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of his Regiment on his retircment. Dated 11th February, 1874.

6th Royal Lancashire.

Captain and Adjutant Richard Molesworth is granted the honorary rank of Major, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 31st December, 1873.

Royal Lancoshire Artillery.

The Honourable Augustus Pelham Brooke Loftus to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 11th February, 1874.

2nd Middlesex or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment.

Sub-Lieutenant Robert Erskine Wade Copland-Crawford resigns his Commission. Dated 7th January, 1874.

John Farnell Walton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 11th February, 1874.

1st or West Norfolk.

Captain John Robert Theophilus Hastings Parker resigns his Commission. Dated 11th February, 1874.

Nottingham or Royal Sherwood Foresters.

Lionel James Trafford, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 11th February, 1874.

2nd Somerset.

George Vere Boyle, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 11th February, 1874.

The (King's Own) 2nd Stafford.

Charles Edmund Wedgwood Wood, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 11th February, 1874.

3rd (King's Own) Stafford.

Captain Francis Vere Wright to be Major, vice Kynnersley, removed in consequence of ill health. Dated 11th February, 1874.

Lieutenant Edward Talbot Wolseley to be Captain, vice Wright, promoted. Dated 11th

February, 1874.

Royal Sussex Artillery.

Captain James Hayes Sadler is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 11th February, 1874.

Captain William John Tonge resigns his Comission. Dated 11th February, 1874.

1st Royal Tower Hamlets.

Lieutenant Daniel John Clanchy resigns his Commission. Dated 11th February, 1874.

Royal Wiltshire.

Thomas Charles Pleydell Calley, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 11th February, 1874.

Worcester.

Quartermaster Robert Thomas Baker resigns his Commission, and is placed on a retired allowance. Dated 11th February, 1874.

East York.

Laurence St. John Brodrick, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 11th February, 1874.

North York.

The Christian names of Major Hopkinson are Robert George, not Robert John, as notified in the Gazette of the 9th December, 1873.

3rd West York.

Sub-Lieutenant Cuthbert Johnson Baines resigns his Commission. Dated 11th February, 1874.

6th West York.

Lieutenant William Malcolm to be Captain. Dated 11th February, 1874.

The Edinburgh or Queen's Regiment of Light Infantry.

William Gray Campbell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 11th February, 1874.

The Highland Light Infantry.

Captain John Macdonald to be Major, vice Macrae, deceased. Dated 11th February, 1874. Charles James Merry, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 11th February, 1874.

2nd Royal Lanark.

Edward Willis Duncan Ward, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 11th February, 1874.

Royal South Down.

William Keown-Boyd, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 11th February, 1874.

Royal Dublin City.

Captain and Honorary Major Robert Bolton Smyth to be Major, vice Brennan, resigned. Dated 11th February, 1874.

Kerry.

Captain and Honorary Major Samuel Collis resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 11th February, 1874.

Kildare.

Nevill Francis Augustus Maunsell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 11th February, 1874.

King's County.

Charles Bury Adams, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 11th February, 1874.

Royal Meath.

Lieutenant Francis Burton Cole Metge resigns his Commission. Dated 11th February, 1874.

Waterford Artillery.

Lieutenant Henry Alexander Hewetson to be Captain. Dated 11th February, 1874.

Wexford.

Richard Samuel Ireland, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 11th February, 1874.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Lancashire Hussars.

George Nugent Ross Wetherall, late Lieutenant 15th Hussars, to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 11th February, 1874.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Pulatine of Durham.

Thomas Wood, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 21st January, 1874.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Fife.

Robert Anstruther Dalyell, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1874. Major George Clerk Cheap to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Robert Christie, Esq, to be Deputy Lieutenant.

Dated 4th February, 1874.

The Right Honourable the Earl of Kellie to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Henry Walter Hope, Esq., to be Deputy Lieu-

tenant. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Walter Hamilton Tyndal Bruce to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Andrew Hamilton Tyndal Bruce, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th February,

1874.

Robert Frederic Balfour, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1874.

David Gillespie, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th February, 1874.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 13, 1874.

Crown Office, February 11, 1874.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the PARLIA-MENT summoned to be holden at Westminster, on the 5th day of March, 1874.

Borough of Clonmel.

Arthur Moore, of Mooresfort, in the county of Tipperary, Esq.

City of Cork.

Joseph Philip Ronayne, of Rinn Ronain, Queenstown, Civil Engineer.

Nicholas Daniel Murphy, of Sidney-place, Cork,

Merchant.

County of Kilkenny.

George L. Bryan, of Jenkinstown, county Kilkenny, D.L.

Patrick Martin, of 23, Upper Fitzwilliam-street,

Dublin, Barrister-at-Law.

County of Edinburgh.

The Right Honourable William Henry Montagu Douglas Scott, (commonly called Earl of Dalkeith), of Dalkeith House, Edinburgh.

City of Edinburgh.

Duncan McLaren, Newington House, Edinburgh, Merchant.

James Cowan, of 35, Royal-terrace, Edinburgh, Paper Maker.

County of Meath.

Nicholas Ennis, of Claremount, county of Meath, Farmer.

John Martin, of 41, Lower Mount-street, Dublin, Gentleman.

Inverness District of Burghs.

Charles Fraser Mackintosh, of No. 10, Unionstreet, Inverness, Esq.

County of Leitrim.

John Brady, of Ely, Esq.

William Richard Ormsby Gore, of Derrycarne, county Leitrim, Esq.

County of Sussex.

Eastern Division.

George Burrow Gregory, of Boarzell, Ticehurst, Sussex, Attorney and Solicitor.

Montagu David Scott, of 19, Lansdowne-place, Hove, Sussex, Esq.

Western Division.

Walter Barttelot Barttelot, of Stopham, Sussex. Charles Henry Gordon Lennox (commonly called Earl of March).

Kirkcaldy District of Burghs.

Robert Reid, of Iffley, in the county of Oxford, Esq.

County of Gloucester.

Eastern Division.

Sir Michael Edward Hicks Beach, of Williamship Park, Fairford, Gloucestershire, Bart.

John Reginald Yorke, of 55, Rutland-gate, London, Esq.

Western Division.

The Honourable Randall Edward Sherborne Plunkett, of 7, Grosvenor-place, Hyde Park.

Robert Nigel Fitzhardinge Kingscote, of Kingscote Park, Wotton-under-Edge, Esq., C.B.

County of Southampton.

Northern Division.

William Wither Bramston Beach, of Oakley Hall, Basingstoke, Esq.

George Sclater-Booth, of the Priory, Odiham, Esq.

Southern Division.

Henry John Montague Douglas Scott (commonly called the Right Honourable Lord Henry John Montague Douglas Scott), of Beaulieu, Hants.

The Right Honourable William Francis Cowper-Temple, of Broadlands, Romsey, Hants.

County of Northumberland.

Northern Division.

Henry George Percy (commonly called Percy), of Alnwick Castle.

Matthew White Ridley, of Blagdon, Northumberland.

Southern Division.

Wentworth Blackett Beaumont, of Allenhead House, Allendale, Esq.

The Honourable Henry George Liddell, of Ravensworth Castle.

Borough of Carmarthen.

Charles William Nevill, of Westfa, Llanelly, Carmarthenshire, Merchant.

February 12.

Suffolk.

Western Division.

Windsor Parker, of Rattlesden, Suffolk, Esq.

Augustus Henry Charles Hervey (commonly called Lord Augustus Henry Charles Hervey), of Tonbridge, Kent.

Eastern Division.

Frederick Brook Thellusson, Baron Rendlesham, of Rendlesham Hall, Suffolk.

The Honourable Arthur Philip Stanhope (commonly called Viscount Mahon), of 48, Chestersquare, Middlesex.

County of Down.

The Honourable Arthur Edwin (commonly called Lord Arthur Edwin Hill-Trevor), of Brynkinalt, Denbighshire. \mathbf{M}

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James Sharman Crawford, of Rademon, county of Down, Justice of the Peace.

County of Wicklow.

William Richard O'Byrne, of Cabinteely House, county of Dublin, Esq.

William Wentworth Fitzwilliam Dick, of Hume-wood, county of Wicklow, Esq.

County of Hertford.

Thomas Frederick Halsey, of Great Gaddesden Place, Hemel Hempstead, Esq.

Abel Smith, of Woodhall Park, Hertfordshire,

Esq.

The Honourable Henry Frederick Cowper, of Panshanger, Hertfordshire.

County of Kircudbright.

John Maitland, Esq., Advocate, Argrennan, in the said Stewartry.

County of Berwick.

Major the Honourable Robert Baillie Hamilton, Langton Dunse, Berwickshire.

County of Armagh.

Edward Wingfield Verner, of The Aske, Bray, county of Wicklow, Esq.

Maxwell Charles Close, of Drumbanagher, Newry, county of Armagh, Esq.

County of Norfolk.

Northern Division.

Sir Edmund Henry Knowles Lacon, of Ormesby St. Margaret, Norfolk, Bart.

The Honourable Frederick Walpole, of Weybourne, in the said county.

Western Division.

Sir William Bagge, of Stradsett, in the county of Norfolk, Bart.

George William Pierrepont Bentinck, of Daviesstreet, in the county of Middlesex, Esq.

Southern Division.

Sir Robert Jacob Buxton, Shodwell Court, Norfolk, Bart.

Clare Sewell Read, of Honingham-Thorpe, Norfolk, Esq.

Wigton District of Burghs.

John Stewart, of Ardwell, Wigtownshire, Esq.

Borough of Chelsea.

Sir Charles Wentworth Dilke, Bart. William Gordon, Gentleman.

County of Dumbarton.

Archibald Orr Ewing, Esq., of Ballikinrain, Stirlingshire.

County of Ayr.

Southern Division.

Lieutenant-Colonel Claud Alexander, of Ballochmyle, Ayrshire.

Northern Division.

Roger Montgomerie, Esq., Advocate, of Anneck Lodge, Dreghorn, Ayrshire.

County of Dumfries.

John James Hope Johnstone, Rae Hills, Dumfriesshire, younger, of Annandale.

February 13.

Combined Counties of Clackmannan and Kinross.

The Right Honourable William Patrick Adam,
Blairadam, Kinrosshire.

County of Fife.

Robert Austruther, of Balcaskie, Fifeshire, Bart.

County of Cardigan.

Thomas Edward Lloyd, of Coedmore, Cardiganshire, Esq.

County of Carnarvon.

The Honourable George Sholto Douglas Pennant, of Penryn Castle, Carnaryonshire.

County of Glamorgan.

Henry Hussey Vivian, of Park Wirn, Glamorganshire.

Christopher Rice Mansel Talbot, of Margam Abbey, Glamorganshire.

Town of Perth.

The Honourable Arthur Fitzgerald Kinnaird, of 2, Pall Mall East, London.

County of Perth.

Sir William Stirling Maxwell, Bart., Keith, Perthshire.

Combined Counties of Elgin and Nairn.

The Honourable Alexander William George Duff (commonly called Viscount Macduff).

County of Limerick.

William Henry O'Sullivan, of Kilmallock, county of Limerick.

Edmond John Synan, of Ashbourne House, Limerick.

County of Longford.

Myles O'Reilly, of Knock Abbey, county Louth, Esq.

George Errington, of Casino, county Dublin, Esq.

County of Donegal.

Thomas Conolly, of Cliff, Ballyshannon, county of Donegal, Esq.

James Hamilton (commonly called the Marquis of Hamilton), Baron's Court, county of Tyrone.

Isle of Wight.

Alexander Baillie Dundas Wishart Ross Cochrane, of 26, Wilton-crescent, Esq.

County of Lancaster.

Northern Division.

The Right Honourable John Wilson Patten. The Honourable Frederick Arthur Stanley.

North Eastern Division.

James Maden Holt, of Stubby Lee, near Bacup, Lancashire, Esq.

John Pierce Chamberlain Starkie, of Aston Hall,

near Lancaster.

South Eastern Division.

The Honourable Algernon Fulke Egerton, of Worsley Old Hall, Lancashire.

Edward Hardcastle, of the Headlands, Prestwich, Lancashire, Merchant.

South-Western Division.

Charles Turner, of Dingle Head, Toxteth Park, Lancashire, Esq.

Richard Assheton Cross, of Eccle Riggs, Broughton-in-Furness, Lancashire.

County of Kent.

Eastern Division.

. The Honourable George Watson Milles, of Lecs Court, Kent.

Edward Leigh Pemberton the younger, of Wrinsted Court, Kent, Barrister-at-Law.

Western Division of West Kent.

Sir Charles Henry Mills, Bart., of Wildernesse, Sevenoaks, Banker.

John Gilbert Talbot, of Falconhurst Court, Edenbridge, Esq.

Mid Division of West Kent.

William Archer Amherst (commonly called Viscount Holmesdale), of Linton Park, Kent. William Hart Dyke, of Lullingstone Castle, Eyns-

ford, Kent, Esq.

(H. 1054.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., February 12, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid stating that by a Decree which appeared in the Madrid Gazette of the 6th instant, it has been announced that cholera having declared itself at Buenos Ayres, that town will be considered a foul port for ships which put to sea after the 20th December last; and that cholera having declared itself in the Argentine Republic, and the Government of Uruguay not having taken sufficient measures to guard the River Uruguay, ships which put to sea from Uruguay after the 20th (sic.) will be liable to three days' observation.

(H. 1056.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., February 12, 1874. THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon stating that by Government Notice at that place, dated the 21st ultimo, the ports of Altona and Hamburg were declared free from cholera morbus since the 4th ultimo.

(H. 1057.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., February 12, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon stating that by Government Notices at that place, the ports of Antwerp and Carthagena are declared free from cholera morbus since the 20th and 21st ultimo, respectively, and the port of Pernambuco "infected" with yellow fever since the 2nd ultimo.

(H. 1058.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., February 12, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Acting Consul at Copenhagen stating that the Danish Government have declared the ports of Hamburg, Wiborg, in Finland, Bergen, Naples, Konigsberg, and Neufahrwasser free from Asiatic cholera, and that in consequence all vessels arriving in Danish ports from those places will at once be admitted to free pratique.

(H. 1059.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., February 12, 1874. THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid stating that by a Decree of the Spanish Government, vessels arriving in Spanish ports from Rotterdam, which have put to sea since the 21st ultimo, are liable to three days' observation in consequence of the existence of cholera in that port.

(S. & C. 237.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, February 12, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a translation of a Notification of the Japanese Government, dated 17th November last, under which the exportation of flour made from rice, wheat, and barley is henceforward permitted free of duty.

(S. & C. 238.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, February 12, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Note addressed to Her Majesty's Consul at Manila by the Captain-General of the Philippine Islands, announcing that by a Decree of the 3rd December last, the ports of Legaspi, in the Island of Luzon, and Tacloban, in the Island of Leyte, were declared open to the general commerce of importation and exportation from the 1st January, 1874.

(S. & C. 255.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, February 13, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Swedish Customs Circular, notifying that for the future, unbleached and undyed cloth made of jute yarn, and into the selvedge of which a few threads of cotton or hurds (blangarn) have been introduced merely to strengthen the border, will be

classed in the Swedish tariff under the head of "Cloths, tissues of jute yarn, unbleached and undyed."

Admiralty, 10th February, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Francis Elliot Walker has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 18th November, 1873, confirming a Commission given by Vice-Admiral Sir Charles F. A. Shadwell, K.C.B., Commander-in-Chief of Her Majesty's Ships and Vessels on the China Station, in the death vacancy of Lieutenant Frederick Hope Johnstone.

The undermentioned have this day been appointed Surgeons in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 30th September, 1873:—

Frederick Charles Cresswell Hewett.

Theodore Julian Preston.

Robert Bedford.

George Cooke.

William Pearson, M.D.

Charles Lyon Vasey.

Admiralty, 11th February, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, and 4th August, 1873, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List of their rank from the 1st October last:—

Commanders:

Edward William Hereford. Charles James Carev.

Edmund Lyons Green.

Honourable Henry Hervey Molyneux.

Charles Percy Bushe.

And the following Lieutenants have been placed on the Retired List from the same date, with permission to assume the rank of Retired Commander:—

Lieutenants:

Edward William John Hennah. Hamilton Pym Smith. Honourable Edward Miles David Browne. Andrew Ross.

The following Lieutenants have also been placed on the Retired List of their rank from the same date:—

Lieutenants:

Alfred Edward Denny. Alfred Charles Harris. George Sackville Parker. Joseph William Wilkins. John William Sunderland.

The announcement contained in the London Gazette of the 2nd ultimo, of the retirement of Lieutenant J. W. Sunderland from the 30th December, 1873, is hereby cancelled.

The undermentioned Officer has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon, with seniority of the 27th January last:—

John Cockburn Messer, M.D.

Admiralty, 10th February, 1874.

Royal Naval Artillery Volunteers. .

Liverpool Corps.

William Samuel Graves, Esq, to be Lieutenant Commanding. Dated 15th January, 1874.

Admiralty, 11th February, 1874. Royal Naval Artillery Volunteers.

London Corps.

The Reverend Charles Boutell, M.A., to be Honorary Chaplain. Dated 7th February, 1874.

William MacCormac, Esq., M.R.C.S., to be Honorary Staff Surgeon. Dated 7th February, 1874.

Frederick Samuel Daldy, Esq., M.R.C.S., to be Honorary Surgeon. Dated 7th February, 1874.

Peter Thomas Scott, Esq., M.R.C.S., to be Additional Honorary Surgeon. Dated 7th February, 1874.

Harry Leach, Esq., to be Additional Honorary

Surgeon. Dated 7th February, 1874.

War Office, Pall Mall, 13th February, 1874.

80th Regiment of Foot.

- Lieutenant-General Charles Crutchley to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Henry John French, deceased. Dated 26th January, 1874.
- 1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Captain William Vesey Brownlow, from half-pay, late 5th Lancers, to be Captain, vice W. E. Chapman, retired on half-pay. Dated 14th February, 1874.
- Riding Master Richmond G. Nicholas, from the 4th Dragoon Guards, to be Lieutenant and Adjutant. Dated 14th February, 1874.
- 3rd Dragoon Guards, Serjeant-Major Greville Ewing McClellan, from the 13th Hussars, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice H. R. Sleigh, who has

resigned his Commission. Dated 14th February, 1874.

10th Hussars, Captain R. C. D'E. Spottiswoode, from the 21st Hussars, to be Captain, vice the Honourable H. G. L. Crichton, who exchanges. Dated 14th February, 1874.

19th Hussars, Hugh O'Connor Henchy, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant W. S. Greene, promoted. Dated 14th February, 1874.

21st Hussars, Captain the Honourable Henry George Louis Criehton, from the 10th Hussars, to be Captain, vice R. C. D'E. Spottiswoode, who exchanges. Dated 14th February, 1874.

Grenadier Guards, The following Ensigns and Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, dated 28th October, 1871:—

Thomas Wood.

Eyre Macdonnell Stewart Crabbe.

Robert Leigh Pemberton.

James Foster.

The Honourable Frederick William Stopford. The Honourable Rupert Clement George Carington.

Henry Chaloner Smith.

Coldstream Guards, The following Ensigns and Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, dated 28th October, 1871:—

Vesey John Dawson.

The Honourable Eustace Henry Dawnay.

The Honourable Henry Power Charles Stanley Monck.

Scots Fusilier Guards, The following Ensigns and Lieutenants to be Lieutenants, dated 28th October, 1871:—

Francis D. Astley.

- The Honourable North de Coigny Dalrymple. William Augustus Home-Drummond-Moray.
- 1st Foot, Captain Charles B. Steer retires from the Service receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 14th February, 1874.
- 7th Foot, The transfer of Captain William Horace Wilson from the 87th Foot, which was notified in the Gazette of the 20th January, 1874, is cancelled. Dated 14th February, 1874.
- 11th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Beauchamp St. John retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigncy. Dated 14th February, 1874.
- 17th Foot, Lieutenant William Mogg Rolph to be Captain, vice J. Tennyson, retired. Dated 24th January, 1874.
- 18th Foot, Captain John Boddington Jackson retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 14th February, 1874.
- 20th Foot, Lieutenant Stewart Abercrombie Wroughton to be Captain, vice F. W. Barlow, retired. Dated 4th February, 1874.
- Sub-Lieutenant Godfrey Fox Webster to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1874.
- 29th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Henry Bailey to be Lieutenant. Dated 3rd February, 1873.
- 31st Foot, Lieutenant Henry William Bateman to be Captain, vice John Michael Bradley Wood, deceased. Dated 26th January, 1874.
- 38th Foot, Captain Arthur William Barron retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 14th February, 1874.
- 41st Foot, Captain Andrew Hugh Fletcher Campbell, from the 56th Foot, to be Captain, vice H. H. Kelly, who exchanges. Dated 2nd January, 1874.

- Serjeant-Major Walter Frederie Theodore Parreidt, from the 23rd Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice H. M. Temple transferred to the 7th Foot. Dated 14th February, 1874.
- 42nd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Edward Parker Campbell, to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th December, 1873, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to bear date 17th January, 1872.
- 52nd Foot, Captain William Augustus Frederick Blakeney retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 14th February, 1874.
- 56th Foot, Captain Harvey Hamilton Kelly, from the 41st Foot, to be Captain, vice A. H. F. Campbell, who exchanges. Dated 2nd January, 1874.
- 70th Foot, Captain Henry Watts Russell de Coëtlogon, from the 105th Foot, to be Captain, viee Norman Huskisson, who exchanges. Dated 14th February, 1874.
- 81st Foot, Lieutenant Charles Edward Sawyer to be Instructor of Mu-ketry, vice Lieutenant M. S. Wynne, promoted. Dated 24th December, 1873.
- 85th Foot, Lieutenaut the Honourable Edward Alexander Holmes A'Court to be Captain, vice Henry Payne Hurford, deceased. Dated 21st November, 1873
- Lieutenant Duncan Alexander Allan Maepherson has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 14th February, 1874.
- 91st Foot, Sub-Lieutenant George Blakemore Robbins to be Lieutenant. Dated 12th November, 1873, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to bear date 3rd February, 1872.

- 93rd Foot, Lieutenant Frederick William Welch to be Captain, vice FitzRoy McPherson, made Supernumerary on being appointed Adjutant 1st Administrative Battalion Inverness Rifle Volunteers. Dated 10th January, 1874.
- Lieutenant Charles Semple retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 14th February, 1874.
- 96th Foot, Captain John Whitty retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 14th February, 1874.
- 99th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant George Charles Jefferyes Johnson to be Lieutenant, dated 12th February, 1873, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to bear date 3rd February, 1873.
- 105th Foot, Captain Norman Huskisson, from the 70th Foot, to be Captain, vice H. W. R. de Coëtlogon, who exchanges. Dated 14th February, 1874.
- 106th Foot, Lieutenant Edmund Rogers Coker to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant William Ainsworth, who resigns that appointment. Dated 14th February, 1874.
- Rifle Brigade, Lieutenant Montagu Brook Wilbraham Taylor to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant C. V. Eccles, promoted. Dated 14th November, 1873.
- Medical Department, Staff Assistant Surgeon Charles Smith, upon half-pay, resigns his Commission. Dated 7th August, 1873.
- Veterinary Department, Veterinary Surgeon John Herbert Cox, from the Royal Artillery, to be Veterinary Surgeon. Dated 14th February, 1874.
- Walter Boulton Spooner, Gent., to be Veterinary

Surgeon on probation, in succession to Acting Veterinary-Surgeon H. Batchelor, promoted. Dated 14th February, 1874.

Chaplains' Department, Chaplain of the Fourth Class the Reverend John Milne, M.A., to be Chaplain of the Third Class. Dated 1st January, 1874.

The Reverend James Bellord to be Chaplain of the Fourth Class. Dated 2nd January, 1873, such antedate not to carry back allowances.

Army Schools, The following Schoolmasters to be Sub-Inspectors:—

Enoch Shipman, from the 92nd Foot. Dated 14th February, 1874.

George T. Rice, from the Cavalry Depôt. Dated

14th February, 1874.

Samuel Goadby, from the Royal Horse Artillery. Dated 14th February, 1874.

Thomas C. Sherwood, from the Palaveran Depôt, Madras. Dated 14th February, 1874.

James Cartwright, from the 60th Foot. Dated 14th February, 1874.

Alfred Wolfe, from the Military Depôt, Kirbee. Dated 14th February, 1874.

BREVET.

The promotion conferred upon Paymaster G. W. Vesey, 4th Hussars, from the 8th December, 1873, is to the honorary rank of Major, and not as stated in Gazette of the 3rd instant.

In continuation of the promotions consequent on the death on 6th January, 1874, of General W. L. L. F., Lord de Ros, Colonel of the 4th Hussars:—

Captain Alfred John Ford, 1st Foot (who retired upon half-pay on 4th February, 1874), to be Major. Dated 7th January, 1874.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 25th January, 1874, of Lieutenant-General Henry John French, Colonel of the 80th Foot:

To have the rank of Lieutenant-General.

Major-General William Chambré, Major, halfpay, Unattached. Dated 26th January, 1874;

Major-General the Honourable Arthur C. Legge, Captain, half-pay, Unattached. Dated 26th January, 1874; and

Major-General Melville Dalyell, Major, half-pay, Unattached. Dated 26th January, 1874.

Major-General James Creagh, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 26th January, 1874.

Brevet Colonel Robert Pratt, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, late 23rd Foot. to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 26th

January, 1874.

Major Charles Denison Pedder, half-pay, late 39th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated

26th January, 1874.

Captain James Fielding Sweeney, half-pay, late 83rd Foot, and Staff Officer of Pensioners, to be Major. Dated 26th January, 1874.

MEMORANDUM.

Paymaster and Honorary Captain G. II. Shuttleworth, from half-pay, late 15th Foot, to be Paymaster for Army Services. Dated 17th November, 1873.

Treasury Chambers, February 11, 1874.

THE Lords of the Committee of Council on Education for Scotland, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's 1874.

Treasury, hereby give notice, that the following situation is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870; viz.:—

The situation of Accountant to the Board of Education, Scotland.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 17, 1874.

Foreign Office, January 12, 1874.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Henry Fitzroy James Langley, Esq., of the Foreign Office, to be an Acting Second Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service while employed abroad.

Crown Office, February 6, 1874.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the PARLIA-MENT summoned to be holden at the City of Westminster on the 5th day of March, 1874.

Borough of Bridgnorth.

William Henry Foster, of Apley Park, near Bridgmorth, Esq.

Borough of Gravesend.

Bedford Clapperton Trevelyan Pim, of Leaside, Upper Norwood, Captain, R.N. Borough of Bodmin.

Edward Frederick Leveson Gower, of No. 4, South Audley-street, London, Barrister-at-Law.

Borough of Hackney.

John Holms, of 19, Cornwall-gardens, Kensington, Manufacturer.

Charles Reed, of Earlsmead, Middlesex, Esq.

February 13.

County of Radnor.

The Honourable Arthur Walsh, of Newcastle Court, Radnorshire.

February 14.

County of Middlesex.

George Francis Hamilton (commonly called Lord George Francis Hamilton), of 17, Montaguestreet, Portman-square.

Octavius Edward Coope, of 41, Upper Brook-

street, Esq.

Borough of Pembroke.

Edward James Reed, of Kirk Ella, near Hull, C.B., Naval Constructor.

County of Huntingdon.

Edward Fellowes, of Ramsey Abbey, Hunting-donshire, Esq.,

Sir Henry Carstairs Pelly, of 14, Cromwell-place, South Kensington, Bart.

County of Tyrone.

John William Ellison Macartney.

Captain The Honourable Henry William Lowry Corry.

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Queen's County.

Kenelm Thomas Digby, of 21, Queen's Gateplace, South Kensington.

Edmund Dease, of Rathconskin, Queen's County.

County of Westmeath.

Patrick James Smyth, of Auburn Ville, Rathgar, Barrister-at-Law.

The Right Honourable Lord Robert Montagu, of 6, Clifton-gardens, Folkestone.

King's County.

Sir Patrick O'Brien, of St. Stephen's Green, Dublin, Bart.

Daniel Sherlock, of Harcourt-street, Dublin, Serjeant-at-Law.

County of Carmarthen.

The Honourable Frederick Archibald Vaughan Campbell (commonly called Viscount Emlyn), of Golden Grove, Carmarthenshire.

John Jones, of Blaenos, Carmarthenshire, Esq.

County of Buckingham.

The Right Honourable Benjamin Disraeli, of Hughendon Manor, Buckinghamshire.

Sir Robert Bateson Harvey, of Langley Park, Buckinghamshire, Bart.

Nathaniel Grace Lambert, of Denham Court, Buckinghamshire, Esq.

County of Leicester.

Northern Division.

Samuel William Clowes, of Norbury, Derbyshire, Esq.

The Right Honourable John James Robert Manners (commonly called Lord John Manners), of 6, Cumberland-terrace, Regent's Park.

Southern Division.

William Unwin Heygate, of Roccliffe, Leicestershire, Esq.

Albert Pell, of Hazelbeach, Northamptonshire, Esq.

County of Warwick.

Northern Division.

Newdigate Newdegate, of Arbury, Nuneaton, Warwickshire, Esq.

William Bromley Davenport, of Baginton, Coventry, Esq.

Southern Division.

Hugh de Grey Seymour (commonly called Earl of Yarmouth).

Sir John Eardley Eardley Wilmot, Bart.

County of Orkney and Shetland.

Samuel Laing, Esq., of Crook, No. 1, Eastern terrace, Brighton.

County of Tipperary.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles William White. The Honourable William Frederick Ormonde O'Callaghan.

County of Monaghan.

John Leslie, of Glasslough, county Monaghan, Esq.

Sewallis Evelyn Shirley, of Loughfea, county of Monaghan, D.L.

Borough of Cardiff.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Frederick Dudley Crichton Stuart, of No. 25, Wilton-crescent.

County of Louth.

Alexander Martin Sullivan, Esq. Philip Callan, Esq.

Wick District of Burghs.

John Pender, Esq.

County of Cumberland.

Eastern Division.

The Honourable Charles Wentworth George Howard, of Naworth Castle.

William Nicholson Hodgson, of Newby Grange, Esq.

Western Division.

The Honourable Percy Scawen Wyndham.
'The Right Honourable Jocelyn Francis, Baron Muncaster.

Falkirk District of Burghs.

John Ramsay, of Kildalton, Esq.

County of Lanurk.

Northern Division.

Sir Thomas Edward Colebrooke, Bart.

Southern Division.

Sir Windham Charles James Carmichael Anstruther, Bart.

City of Glasgow.

Charles Cameron, West George-street, Glasgow, LL.D.

George Anderson, Thistle-grove, South Kensington, Esq.

Alexander Whitelaw, Gartsherrie House, Lanarkshire, Ironmaster.

County of Wilts.

Northern Division.

George Thomas John Bucknall Estcourt, Esq. Sir George Samuel Jenkinson, Bart.

Southern Division.

Henry Frederick Thynne (commonly called Lord Henry Frederick Thynne).

William Pleydell Bouverie (commonly called Viscount Folkestone).

West Worcestershire.

Frederick Winn Knight, of Wolverley House, Worcestershire, Esq.

William Edward Dowdeswell, of Pull Court, Tewkesbury, Esq.

East Worcestershire.

Henry Allsop, of Hindlip Hall, Worcestershire, Esq.

Thomas Eades Walker, of Studley Castle, Warwickshire, Esq.

Borough of Bradford.

The Right Honourable William Edward Forster, of Wharfside, Burley, Yorkshire.

Henry William Ripley, of Acacia, Rawdon, Yorkshire, Dyer.

East Derbyshire.

Rear-Admiral the Honourable Francis Egerton. Francis Arkwright, of Coton House, near Rugby, Esq.

South Derbyshire.

Sir Henry Wilmot, of Chuddesden Hall, Bart. Thomas William Evans, of Allstree, Derbyshire, Esq.

West Cornwall.

Sir John St. Aubyn, of St. Michael's Mount, Cornwall, Bart.

Arthur Pendarves Vivian, of Place House, Cornwall, Esq.

East Cornwall,

Sir Colman Rashleigh, Bart, of Prideaux, Cornwall.

John Tremayne, Esq., of Heligan, Cornwall.

County of Roxburgh.

Sir George Henry Scott Douglas, of Springwood Park, Bart.

County of Londonderry.

Richard Smyth, of Clarendon-street, Londonderry, Professor in the Magee College, Londonderry.

Hugh Law, Esq., of No. 9, Fitzwilliam-square, Dublin, Queen's Counsel, Solicitor-General for Ireland.

County of Clare.

The Right Honourable Sir Colman Michael O'Loghlin, of Drumeonora, Bart.

The Right Honourable Francis Nathaniel Conyngham (commonly called Lord Francis Conyngham), of Slane Castle, county of Meath.

County of Antrim.

James Chaine, of Ballyeraigy, Antrim, Esq. The Honourable Edward O'Neill, of Shanes Castle, Antrim.

County of Kildare.

Charles Henry Meldon, of Rutland-square, Dublin, Barrister-at-Law.

The Right Honourable William Henry Ford Cogan, of Tinode, Wicklow.

County of Fermanagh.

William Humphreys Archdale, of Riversdale, Fermanagh, Esq.

Colonel the Honourable Henry Arthur Cole, of Florence Court, Fermanagh.

(H. 1121.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., February 14, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Depatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Rosario, stating that in consequence of the appearance of cholera in Buenos Ayres, the former port would, from the 1st of January, be closed against arrivals from the latter or any other infected port.

(H. 1122.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., February 14, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Monte Video, stating that by a Government Decree of the 7th ultimo, the ports of that Republic are entirely closed against arrivals from any port of the Argentine Confederation.

(S. & C. 248.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, February 17, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of the Programme of a Congress to be held at Milan on the 30th and 31st days of March, and the 1st day of April next, relative to the fabrication of cheeses and other products of milk. At the same time and place an exhibition will be held of such products and of dairy utensils, &c. Intending exhibitors should make application for regulations and other information to the Royal Superior School of Agriculture at Milan.

India Office, 16th February, 1874.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps and of Her Majesty's India Military Forces, made by the Governments in India:—

BREVET.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant - Colonel Sidney Chalmers, Bengal Infantry. Dated 19th October, 1873.

Lieutenant Colonel John March Earle, Bengal

Infantry. Dated 9th December, 1873.

Lieutenant - Colonel Edward Samuel Jackson, Bengal Infantry. Dated 16th December, 1873.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Joseph John Fletcher, Madras Infantry. Dated 11th September, 1873.

Lieutenant Charles May Allen Morant, Madras

Cavalry. Dated 20th September, 1873.
Lieutenant Frederick Thomas Powis, Madras
Infantry. Dated 2nd October, 1873.

Lieutenant William Henry Browne, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 20th October, 1873.

Lieutenant George William Beresford, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 26th October, 1873.

Lieutenant Conrad Agnew Owen, Bombay Cavalry. Dated 27th October, 1873.

Lieutenant William Stainforth, Madras Infantry, Dated 4th November, 1873.

Lieutenant Richard Bernard Lockwood, Bengal Cavalry. Dated 4th December, 1873.

Lieutenant Robert Henry Francis Rennick, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 18th December, 1873.

Captain Cecil Beadon, Madras Cavalry, to be Major, in succession to General P. Lodwick, Bombay Infantry, deceased. Dated 29th August, 1873.

SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS. BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Edgar Gibson Clark. Dated 20th November, 1873.

Major Charles Frederick Packe. Dated 10th December, 1873.

Major Clements Robert Shaw. Dated 10th December, 1873,

Major Joseph Ford Sherer. Dated 10th December, 1873.

Major (Brevet Colonel) Peter Stark Lumsden, C.B., C.S.I. Dated 10th December, 1873.

Major Arthur Hill Millet. Dated 11th December, 1873.

Major Henry Brougham Chalmers. Dated 11th December, 1873.

Major George Wheeler. Dated 11th December, 1873.

Major Richard Edward Oakes. Dated 11th December, 1873.

Major (Brevet Colonel) Sir Charles Henry Brownlow, K.C.B. Dated 20th December, 1873.

Major John Grant Sombre Matheson. Dated 20th December, 1873.

To be Majors.

Captain Donald MacDonald. Dated 20th October, 1873.

Captain John Bartleman. Dated 20th October, 1873.

Captain Horatio Nelson Noble. Dated 9th December, 1873.

Captain (Brevet Major) William MacDonald. Dated 10th December, 1873. Captain William Rice Morland Holroyd. Dated 10th December, 1873.

Captain Francis Frederick Rowcroft. Dated 10th

December, 1873.

Captain Harry de Brett. Dated 10th December, 1873.

Captain Charles Smith Maclean. Dated 14th December, 1873.

Captain Harry Chippindale Plunkett Rice. Dated

20th December, 1873.

Captain Robert Durie Osborn. Dated 20th December, 1873.

Captain Henry Loftus Alexander Tottenham. Dated 20th December, 1873.

Captain George Nicholson Saunders. Dated 20th December, 1873.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Hunter. Dated 8th June, 1873.

Lieutenant Alexander Robert Badcock. Dated 1st October, 1873.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) William John Williamson. Dated 8th October, 1873.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Harenc. Dated 15th October, 1873.

Lieutenant Thomas John Baynes. Dated 15th November, 1873.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major William Henry White. Dated 22nd September, 1873.

To be Majors.

Captain Charles James Jennings. Dated 10th September, 1873.

Captain (Brevet Major) Thomas Henry Way. Dated 22nd October, 1873.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Robert Græme Elphinstone Dalrymple. Dated 12th October, 1873.

MADRAS ARMY.

INFANTRY.

Major Jackson Muspratt Williams to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 18th September, 1873.

GENERAL LIST OF INFANTRY OFFICERS.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Henry Locock Berkeley. Dated 6th September, 1873.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) John Hotham. Dated 18th September, 1873.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Majors.

Captain Ashton George Mayne. Dated 20th September, 1873.

Captain Gregory Colquhoun Grant. Dated 4th October, 1873.

To be Captain.

Lientenant (Brevet Captain) Macclesfield Forbes Coussmaker. Dated 1st November, 1873.

The dates of the undermentioned Officers' Commissions should be as follows, and not as stated in the Gazettes named:—

London Gazette, 13th January, 1863—Captain Cecil D'Urban Latouche, Bombay Staff Corps, 29th July, 1862.

London Gazette, 18th August, 1871—Captain W. Stenhouse, Madras, 11th December, 1870.

London Gazette, 22nd September, 1871—Lieutenant-Colonel J. H. Jenkins, Bengal, 11th

May, 1871.

London Gazette, 22nd September, 1871—Lieutenant-Colonel E. M. Lawford, Madras, 20th May, 1871.

London Gazette, 15th November, 1872—Lieutenant G. Brehon, Bengal Staff Corps, 5th

June, 1866.

London Gazette, 7th February, 1873—LieutenantW. H. Salmon, Bengal Staff Corps, 31st March, 1871.

London Gazette, 7th February, 1873—Lieutenant H. C. E. Lucas, Bombay Staff Corps, 7th Octo-

ber, 1871.

London Gazette, 28th March, 1873—Captain R. W. E. Burrowes, Bengal, 20th November, 1872.

The names of the undermentioned Officers should be as follows, and not as stated in the Gazettes named:—

London Gazette, 25th August, 1871 — Robert Austice Prideaux, Bombay.

London Gazette, 1st December, 1871—Surgeon Robert Gray, Bengal.

London Gazette, 1st December, 1871—Surgeon Joseph MacNaughtan Fleming, M.D., Bengal.

London Gazette, 1st December, 1871 — John Malone Sexton, Bombay.

London Gazette, 16th July, 1872 — Grenville Pulteney de Palezieux Falconnet, Royal (late Madras) Engineers.

London Gazette, 15th November, 1872—Ernle

Edmund Money, Bengal Staff Corps.

London Gazette, 15th November, 1872—Augustus S. W. Connor, Bombay Staff Corps.

London Gazette, 17th January, 1873-Edmund Yeamans Walcott, Bengal Staff Corps.

London Gazette, 7th February, 1873-William Henry Salmon, Bengal Staff Corps.

London Gazette, 28th March, 1873-R. W. E. Burrowes, Bengal Staff Corps.

London Gazette, 28th March, 1873 - Robert Vernor Handyside, Madras Staff Corps.

London Gazette, 28th March, 1873-H. T.

Bulkley, Bombay Staff Corps.

London Gazette, 10th June, 1873-Lieutenant-Colonels Ker and Francis, promoted to the rank of Colonel, belong to the Bombay Infantry, and not Bengal.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the City and County of the City of Edinburgh.

George Harrison, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1874.

Adam Gifford, Esq. (the Honourable Lord Gifford), to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 9th

February, 1874.

Alexander Burns Shand, Esq. (the Honourable Lord Shand), to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 9th February, 1874.

Treasury Chambers, February 13, 1874.

THE Lords of the Committee of Council on Education, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice, that the following employment is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870; viz.:-

The employment of pensioned members of the Police Force as Attendants at South Ken-

sington Museum.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 20, 1874.

St. James's Palace, February 16, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Captain Nathaniel George Philips to be one of the Grooms of the Privy Chamber in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of John Francis Campbell of Islay, Esq., now one of the Grooms in Waiting in Ordinary to Her Majesty.

Whitehall, February 19, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Brigadier-General Sir John Miller Adye, K.C.B., Her Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of Commander of the Order of the Legion of Honour, conferred upon him by the President of the French Republic, as a promotion from the class of Officer of the same Order, which he received for his services during the Crimean war.

Whitehall, February 19, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to grant the place of one of the Lords of Session in Scotland to the Right Honourable George Young, Her Majesty's Advocate for Scotland, in the room of John Cowan, Esq., resigned.

The Queen has also been pleased to nominate and appoint the said George Young to be one of the Lords of Justiciary in Scotland, in the room

of the said John Cowan, Esq., resigned.

Foreign Office, January 1, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint James Lane, Esq., now Her Majesty's Legal Vice-Consul in Egypt, to be Judge of Her Majesty's Chief Consular Court for Egypt.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Frederick Arpa, Esq., to be Law Secretary to Her Majesty's Chief Consular Court for Egypt, and Vice-Consul in the Ottoman

minions.

Foreign Office, February 7, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint John Alexander Shortt, Esq., now Her Majesty's Vice-Consul in the Island of Corsica, to be Her Majesty's Consul in the Island of Corsica, to reside at Ajaccio.

Foreign Office, February 16, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable Hussey Crespigny Vivian to be Her Majesty's Agent and Consul-General in the United Principalities of Moldavia and Wallachia, to reside at Bucharest.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable Francis John Pakenham, now Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Washington, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Copenhagen.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Robert Grant Watson, Esq., now Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Copenhagen, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Washington.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Arthur Nicolson, Esq., of the Foreign Office, to be an Acting Third Secretary in Her 1874.

Majesty's Diplomatic Service, while employed abroad.

Foreign Office, February 16, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint George Edward Stanley, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Alexandria, to be Her Majesty's Consul in the State of Panama (United States of Colombia).

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Thomas John Elmore, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Nice, to be Her Majesty's Consul in the Cape Verd Islands, to reside at

St. Vineent.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint David Hopkins, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul in the Districts comprised between the Northern limits of the Province of Angola and Black Point, including the River Congo, to reside at Loanda.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Gerald Raoul Perry, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul for the Eastern Coast of Sweden, to be Her Majesty's Consul in the Island of Réunion.

The Queen has also been graeiously pleased to appoint William Francis Segrave, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul in the Island of Réunion, to be Her Majesty's Consul for the Eastern Coast of Sweden, to reside at Stockholm.

Crown Office, February 19, 1874.

The following sixteen Peers of Scotland have been elected and chosen to sit and vote in the House of Peers in the Parliament of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, summoned to meet at the city of Westminster on Thursday, the 5th March, 1874, viz.:—

The Marquess of Queensberry.

The Marquess of Tweeddale.

The Earl of Morton.

The Earl of Strathmore.

The Earl of Haddington.

The Earl of Lauderdale.

The Earl of Airlie.

The Earl of Leven and Melville.

The Earl of Selkirk.

The Viscount Strathallau.

The Lord Forbes.

The Lord Saltoun.

The Lord Sinctair.

The Lord Elphinstone.

The Lord Blantyre.

The Lord Colville of Culross.

Crown Office, February 17, 1874.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the PARLIA-MENT summoned to be holden at the City of Westminster, on the 5th day of March, 1874.

County of Durham.

Northern Division.

Isaac Lowthian Bell, of the Hall, Washington, in the county of Durham, Esq.

Charles Mark Palmer, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Esq.

Southern Division.

Joseph Whitwell Pease, of Hulton Hall, near Guisborough, Yorkshire, Esq.

Frederick Edward Blackett Beaumont, of Grosvenor Mansions, Vietoria-street, Major Royal Engineers.

February 18. County of York. North Riding.

Frederick Acclom Millbank, of Wemmergill, Mickleton, Yorkshire, Esq.

William Reginald Duncombe (commonly called Viscount Helmsley), of Duncombe Park, Yorkshire.

East Riding.

Christopher Sykes, of Brantingham, Yorkshire, Esq.

William Henry Harrison Broadley, of Welton, Yorkshire, Esq.

Northern Division of the West Riding.

The Right Honourable Frederick Charles Cavendish (commonly called Lord Frederick Charles Cavendish), of 21, Carlton House-terrace.

Matthew Wilson, of Eshton Hall, near Skipton, Yorkshire, Esq.

Eastern Division of the West Riding.

Christopher Beckett Denison, of 43, Lowndessquare.

Joshua Fielden, of Stansfield Hall, Yorkshire, Cotton Spinner.

Southern Division of the West Riding.

Walter Thomas William Spencer Stanhope, of Canon Hall, Yorkshire, Esq.

Lewis Randle Starkey, of Heath Hall, Wakefield, Woollen Cloth Manufacturer.

February 19.

County of Waterford.

Charles William De la Pocr Beresford (commonly called Lord Charles Beresford), Lieutenant R.N.

Sir John Esmonde, of Ballynastragh, county Wexford, Bart.

County of Cavan.

Charles Joseph Fay, of 27, Clarinda Park East, Kingstown, Solicitor.

Joseph Gillis Biggar, of Train Frill House, Belfast, Merchant.

February 20.

County of Galway.

Captain John Philip Nolan, of 23, Shop-street, Galway.

Mitchell Henry, Esq., of Kylemore, county of Galway.

(M. 2756.)

Marine Department, Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, February 19, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Foreign Office a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, enclosing the following translation of a communication addressed by the Spanish Minister of Finance to the Director-General of Customs relative to the Decree of the 30th May, 1873:—

(Translation).

SIR, Ministry of Finance.

It having been shown by experience that the captains of ships coming from the Pacific have not been able, from causes over which they had no control, to have their manifests "visés" by the Consular Agents or Local Authorities, the Government of the Republic, in accordance with your proposal, has resolved to prorogue until the 31st of next May the previously fixed date on

which it will be necessary to present the manifests "visés," in accordance with the Decree of the 30th of May of last year, for captains proceeding from ports situated in the Pacific and Indian Seas, and others lying between these, notwithstanding that they may have passed through the Suez Canal.

I inform, &c., (Signed) ECHEGARAY.

To the Director-General of Customs.

(H. 1263).

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, February 20, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Syra, stating that the quarantine on arrivals from Brindisi and all other places lately considered to be infected with cholera has been taken off by the Hellenic Government, and that all arrivals at Syra are now admitted to free pratique without delay, provided that they are furnished with clean bills of health.

Admiralty, February 19, 1874.

MEMORANDUM.

Uniform of Naval Aides-de-('Amp and the Naval Equerry of His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh.

In pursuance of Her Majesty's pleasure the following alteration is to be made in the Dress of Her Majesty's Naval Aides-de-Camp:—

1. Instead of the crimson and gold Sash, prescribed by the present Regulations, a gold Aiguillette is to be worn on the right shoulder; the Aiguillette to be in accordance with the

pattern deposited in this office.

2. The Aiguillette is to be worn only with Full Dress, when in attendance on the Sovereign, or on State occasions.

3. This Order will not be compulsory on Officers who at present hold the appointment of Naval

Aide-de-Camp.

4. The Naval Equerry of His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh will wear an Aiguillette similar to that established for Her Majesty's Naval Aides-de-Camp.

By Command of their Lordships,

Robert Hall.

Admiralty, 17th February, 1874.

The following promotions have been this day made:—

Lieutenants:

 Charles Sheldon Pearce Woodruffe, William George Scott, Martin Julius Dunlop,
 to be Commanders in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Sub-Lieutenants:

Edward Piteairn Jones,
Arthur Dove,
Ernest Chamberlain Hobkirk,
Charles Henry Sheffield Pretyman,
James Frederick Bedford,
William Crichton Stuart Hathorn,
Barrington Henry Chevallier,
Lord Francis Horace Pierrepont Cecil,
Randolph Frank Ollive Foote,
Lewis Dod Sampson,
to be Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Fleet.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Lord William Brook Phipps has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank. Staff Commander Dover Farrant has been placed on the Retired List from the 14th instant.

Admiralty, 18th February, 1874.

The Reverend Joseph Reed has this day been appointed Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

War Office, Pall Mall, 20th February, 1874.

11th Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General Sir Francis Seymour, Bart., C.B., to be Colonel, in succession to General Sir John Gaspard Le Marchant, K.C.B., G.C.M.G., deceased. Dated 7th February, 1874.

Royal Engineers, The resignation of Lieutenant Albert Eugene Dümmler's Commission as notified in Gazette of the 19th December, 1873, is cancelled.

Lieutenant Albert Eugene Dümmler is placed upon temporary half-pay. Dated 20th December, 1873.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Felix Thackeray Haig, Royal (late Madras) Engineers, having completed the qualifying service with the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel. Dated 6th December, 1873.

War Office, 20th February, 1874.

MILITIA.

Bedford.

Oswald Fordham Tatham, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary.) Dated 21st February, 1874.

Cambridge.

Lieutenant John Frederick Eaden resigns his Commission. Dated 21st February, 1874.

Cornwall Rangers.

Lieutenant Francis Gilbert Hamley resigns his Commission. Dated 21st February, 1874.

Thomas Edward John Lloyd, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 21st February, 1874.

Conway Stratford George Canning, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 21st February, 1874.

2nd Derby.

Major Edward Ward Fox resigns his Commission. Dated 21st February, 1874.

Captain Archibald James Campbell resigns his Commission. Dated 21st February, 1874.

4th Royal Lancashire.

Edward Joynson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary.) Dated 21st February, 1874.

Royal London.

Reginald Philip Vaillant, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 21st February, 1874.

Royal East Middlesex.

Ernest James Hall Appleyard, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 21st February, 1874.

2nd Middlesex, or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment.

Charles Edward Skyring Hemery, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 11th February, 1874.

Royal Elthorne, or 5th Middlesex.

Sub-Lieutenant Charles Edward Hare resigns his Commission. Dated 21st February, 1874.

Royal Monmouth.

Lieutenant Bryan John Francis Salvin resigns his Commission. Dated 21st February, 1874.

Richard Lloyd Payne. Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 21st February, 1874.

The (King's Own) 1st Stafford.

Graham Cludde Herbert, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 21st February, 1874.

3rd Royal Surrey.

Lieutenant Charles Herbert Curtis to be Captain, vice Mansel, deceased. Dated 21st February, 1874.

3rd West York.

Lieutenant Grenfell Todd Naylor to be Captain, vice Eadon, resigned. Dated 21st February, 1874.

John Edmund Groom. Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 21st February, 1874.

Royal Perth.

Captain George Duncan Mercer resigns his Commission, also is granted the honorary rank of Major, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 21st February, 1874.

Lieutenant Charles Wyndham Rodolph Kerr resigns his Commission. Dated 21st February, 1874.

Armagh.

Lieutenant Hugh Harris resigns his Commission. Dated 21st February, 1874.

Carlow.

George Joseph Metcalf, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 21st February, 1874.

Leitrim.

Major Arthur Joseph, Vesey Lindsay Birchall resigns his Commission, also is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 21st February, 1874.

Royal Meath.

John Charles Farrell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 21st February, 1874.

Monaghan.

Henry Craven Jesse Lloyd, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 21st February, 1874.

Queen's County.

The promotion of Captain Walter Joseph Borrowes to be Major, vice Carden, promoted, dated 17th December, 1873, notified in the Gazette of the 16th December, 1873, is cancelled.

Captain and Honorary Major Percy Raymond Grace to be Major, vice Carden, promoted.

Dated 17th December, 1873.

Lieutenant Douglas Frederick Rawdon Dawson, resigns his Commission. Dated 21st January, 1874.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Essex.

Major John Glas Sandeman to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Edenborough, deceased. Dated 21st February, 1874.

Staffordshire.

Lieutenant William H. Sneyd Kinnersley resigns his Commission. Dated 21st February, 1874.

Lieutenant Cecil James Stephens resigns his Commission. Dated 21st February, 1874.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cornwall.

John Christopher Baron Lethbridge, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st February, 1874.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Carmarthen.

The Honourable Arthur de Cardonnel Rice to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 14th February, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Herbert Davies Evans to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 14th February, 1874.

Alfred Campbell Haliburton Jones, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 14th February, 1874.

Treasury Chambers, February 17, 1874.

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council for Trade, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice, that the following situations are added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870:—

Situations at Holyhead Harbour-

Overseer of Works.

Assistant Harbour Master.

Dock and Quay Master.

Assistant Dock Keeper.

Lightkeeper, Old Harbour.

Chief Boatman and Boatmen.

Labourers.

Policemen.

Carpenter.

Engine Driver.

Mason.

Mason's Labourer.

Watehman.

Also the following situations at the Falkland Islands; viz:—

The situations of—

Lightkeeper and Assistant Lightkeeper, at Cape Pembroke Lighthouse.

Also the following situation at Bahamas;

Extra Supernumerary Lightkeepers.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 24, 1874.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, February 23, 1874.

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Wednesday, the 11th of March next, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to His Royal Highness at this Levee shall be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her Majesty.

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEGEE TO BE HELD BY HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES, ON BEHALF OF HER MAJESTY. AT St. James's Palace.

By Her Majesty's Command.

The Noblemen and Gentlemen, who propose to attend Her Majesty's Levee, at St. James's Palace, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names clearly written thereon, one to be left with The Queen's Page in Attendance, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to His Royal Highness.

PRESENTATIONS.

Any Nobleman or Gentleman who proposes to be presented, must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, before twelve o'clock, two clear days before the Levee, a card with his name written thereon, and with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman by whom he is to be presented. In order to carry out the existing regulation that no presentation can be made at a Levee excepting by a person actually attending that Levee, it is also necessary that an intimation from the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to make the presentation, of his intention to be

present, should accompany the presentation card above referred to, which will be submitted to The Queen for Her Majesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's command that no presentations shall be made at the Levee, except in accordance with the above regulations.

It is particularly requested, that in every case the names be very distinctly written upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing

them to His Royal Highness.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at one o'clock.

SYDNEY, Lord Chamberlain.

At the Court at Windsor, the 21st day of February, 1874.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint John Gerard Leigh, of Luton, Esquire, to be Sheriff of the county of Bedford, in the room of Salusbury Gillies Payne, of Blunham (claiming to be Sir Salusbury Gillies Payne, Baronet).

At the Court at Windsor, the 21st day of February, 1874.

THIS day, the Right Honourable Henry Edward, Earl of Ilchester, was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

At the Court at Windsor, the 21st day of February, 1874.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased to declare the Most Noble Charles Henry, Duke of Richmond, K.G., Lord President of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and his Grace, having taken the oaths of office, took his place at the Board accordingly.

This day, Richard Assheton Cross, Esq., was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took

his place at the Board accordingly.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to deliver the Great Seal to the Right Honourable Hugh MacCalmont, Lord Cairns, whereupon the oath of Lord Chancellor of Great Britain was, by Her Majesty's command, administered to him, and his Lordship took his place at the Board accordingly.

This day the Right Honourable Benjamin Disraeli took the oath of First Lord of Her Majesty's

Treasury.

Her Majesty having been pleased to deliver the custody of the Privy Seal to the Right Honourable James Howard, Earl of Malmesbury, G.C.B., the oath of the Keeper of the Privy Seal was this day administered to him, and his Lordship took

his place at the Board accordingly.

Her Majesty having been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, the Right Honourable Edward Henry, Earl of Derby, the Right Honourable Henry Howard Molyneux, Earl of Carnarvon, the Right Honourable Gathorne Hardy, and the Most Honourable Robert Arthur Talbot, Marquess of Salisbury, five Principal Secretaries of State, they were this day, by Her Majesty's command, sworn Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State accordingly.

Privy Council Office, February 21, 1874.

THIS day, the oath of office of Postmaster-General was taken by the Right Honourable John James Robert Manners (commonly called Lord John Manners); the oath of office of Chancellor of the Exchequer by the Right Honourable Sir Stafford Henry Northcote, Bart.; and the oath of office of First Lord of the Admiralty by the Right Honourable George Ward Hunt.

At the Court at Windsor, the 21st day of February, 1874.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased, on a representation of the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education in Scotland, to appoint John Wilson Marshall, Esquire, M.A. of the University of Edinburgh, to be one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools in Scotland.

At the Court at Windsor, the 21st day of February, 1874.

The Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to approve of a Memorial from the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty regulating the Admission of Seamen and Marines to the benefits of Greenwich Hospital.

Whitehall, February 19, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Duke of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Most Honour-1874.

able Hugh Lupus, Marquess of Westminster, K.G., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Duke of Westminster, in the county of Middlesex.

Whitehall, February 19, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to order a Writ to be issued under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland for summoning George Henry Charles Byng, Esq. (commonly called Viscount Enfield), to the House of Peers, by the style and title of Baron Strafford, of Harmondsworth, in the county of Middlesex.

Whitehall, February 20, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto John Kirk, Esq., the office of Director and Principal Clerk of Her Majesty's Chancery in Scotland, vacant by the death of John Mackenzie Lindsay, Esq.

War Office, February 21, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of the Right Honourable Lord Odo William Leopold Russell, Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to the Emperor of Germany, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath:—and William Taylour Thomson, Esq., Her Majesty's Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary to the Shah of Persia;—John Milton, Esq., Accountant-General of the Army;—Colonel Frederick Alexander Campbell, of the Royal Artillery, Superintendent of the Royal Gun Factories;—Reginald

Earle Welby, Esq., Principal Financial Clerk in the Treasury; — Lieutenant-Colonel George Edward Hillier, Deputy Inspector-General of the Royal Irish Constabulary;—Henry Howard, Esq., late Agent to the Commission for British and American claims under the Treaty of Washington;—and Edward Hertslet, Esq., Librarian and Keeper of the Papers of the Foreign Office, to be Ordinary Members of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honourable Order.

Windsor Castle, February 21, 1874.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Charles Reed, Esq., M.P., Chairman of the London School Board.

Windsor Castle, February 21, 1874.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Charles Alexander Wood, Esq., formerly one of Her Majesty's Commissioners of Emigration.

Crown Office, February 24, 1874.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the PARLIA-MENT summoned to be holden at the City of Westminster, on the 5th day of March, 1874.

County of Wexford.

Sir George Bowyer, of Radley Park, Berks, Bart. Keyes O'Cleary, Esq., of Blackheath, Kent, Barrister-at-Law.

(H. 1278.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., February 21, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at The Hague stating that it has been officially notified that arrivals from Helsingborg will no longer be subjected to quarantine in ports of the Netherlands.

(H. 1340.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, February 24, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at the Hague, stating that, in consequence of the prevalence of cholera at Buenos Ayres, vessels which have left that port since the 29th of December last will be subjected to quarantine on arriving in the ports of the Netherlands.

(H. 1341.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, February 24, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at the Hague, stating, that in consequence of the cessation of cholera at Dantzig no further quarantine will be imposed on vessels arriving in the Netherlands from that port.

Admiralty, 20th February, 1874.

Andrew John Baillie, Esq., has this day been appointed a Naval Instructor in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Admirally, 23rd February, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenaut George Henry Eden has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 4th ultimo, confirming a Commission given by Rear-Admiral Arthur Cumming, C.B., Commander-in-Chief of Her Majesty's Ships and Vessels on the East India Station, in the death vacancy of Lieutenant Cecil Molyneux Gilbert Cooper.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 3rd March, 1873—

Paymaster Shuldham S. C. Hill has been placed on the Retired List from the 18th instant.

War Office, Pall Mall, 24th February, 1874.

- 1st Regiment of Life Guards, Francis Pym, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant the Honourable H. Le D. Boscawen, retired. Dated 25th February, 1874.
- 1st Dragoon Guards, Sub-Lieutenant Jeffrey Browning Hone resigns his Commission. Dated 25th February, 1874.
- 1st Dragoons, Sub-Lieutenant Edward Loyd Entwistle to be Lieutenant, dated 15th May, 1872, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to bear date 17th February, 1872.
- 8th Hussars, Captain James Martin McCalmont retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 25th February, 1874.
- 9th Lancers, Captain Henry Brooks Gaskell retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 25th February, 1874.

- 17th Lancers, Sub-Lieutenant Percy Wormald to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th February, 1872.
- Brigade Depôts, Quartermaster W. Hodgkinson, from 7th Hussars, to be Quartermaster. Dated 25th February, 1874.

Quartermaster William Fraser, from 25th Foot, to be Quartermaster. Dated 25th February,

1874.

- Quartermaster Thomas Lumsden, from 28th Foot, to be Quartermaster. Dated 25th February, 1874.
- 1st Foot, Lieutenant Charles Henry Sanford to be Captain, vice C. B. Steer, retired. Dated 14th February, 1874.
- 3rd Foot, Quartermaster George Pittendrigh retires upon half-pay. Dated 25th February, 1874.
- 6th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Thomas George Lumsden, to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th January, 1873.
- 7th Foot, Captain Benjamin Stephens (not Stephen as hitherto stated) du Jardin, from half-pay, late Ceylon Rifle Regiment, to be Captain, vice W. H. Wilson, whose transfer from the 87th Foot, has been cancelled. Dated 25th February, 1874.
- 10th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Frederick Vardon Gaitskell receives the value of an Ensigney on final transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 25th February, 1874.
- 18th Foot, Lieutenant Albert James Alexander Jackson to be Captain, vice J. B. Jackson, retired. Dated 14th February, 1874.
- 29th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Orbell Henry Oakes to be Lieutenant. Dated 10th January, 1872.

- 31st Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Robert John Eagar, C.B., retires upon full-pay, under Article 8 of the Royal Warrant of 24th February, 1873. Dated 25th February, 1874.
- 38th Foot, Lieutenant James Alexander to be Captain, vice A. W. Barron, retired. Dated 14th February, 1874.
- 44th Foot, Captain Richard Rose O'Grady retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 25th February, 1874.
- 52nd Foot, Lieutenant James Johnstone to be Captain, vice W. A. F. Blakeney, retired. Dated 14th February, 1874.
- 60th Foot, Lieutenant Frederick Charles Blenkinsopp Coulson to be Captain, vice A. F. Terry, made Supernumerary on being appointed Adjutant 5th Administrative Battalion Cheshire Rifle Volunteers. Dated 17th January, 1874.
- The names of the Gentleman appointed to an Ensigncy on the 10th October, 1865, and promoted Lieutenant on the 11th January, 1869, are James Nugent Blackwood-Price, and not James Nugent Blackwood Price, as hitherto stated.
- 80th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Legh Hoskins Master to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th February, 1872.
- 89th Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Boyle, C.B., retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 25th February, 1874.
- 90th Foot, Lieutenant Stephen John Stevens to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant R. Lawrence, promoted. Dated 23rd January, 1874.

- 92nd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant William Henry Dick Cunyngham to be Lieutenant. Dated 17th February, 1873.
 - 94th Foot, Lieutenant Wadham Locke retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 25th February, 1874.
 - 96th Foot, Lieutenant Arthur Cadell Greenslade Leman to be Captain, vice J. Whitty, retired. Dated 14th February, 1874.
 - 1st West India Regiment, James Montague Spence Turner, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice W. H. Middlemass, whose appointment has been cancelled. Dated 25th February, 1874.
 - 2nd West India Regiment, Quartermaster John Bloom Harper retires upon temporary halfpay. Dated 25th February, 1874.
 - Staff, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Henry Hope Crealock, C.B., half-pay, late Particular Service, to be Deputy Quartermaster-General to the Forces serving in Ireland, vice Major and Brevet Colonel the Honourable Leicester Smyth, C.B., half-nay, late Rifle Brigade, promoted to Major-General. Dated 25th February, 1874.

CONTROL DEPARTMENT.

Deputy Controller Henry Bartlett, C.B., has been permitted to commute his retired pay. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Supply and Transport Sub-Department, Deputy Commissary H. L. Ricard retires upon temporary half-pay on account of ill-health. Dated 6th February, 1874.

Acting Assistant-Commissary G. G. Bowring to be Assistant-Commissary. Dated 15th July,

1871.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon-Major Edward William Young, M.D., retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 24th January, 1874.

Surgeon-Major Samuel Handy Halahan, M.D., retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 29th

January, 1874.

BREVET.

Captain and Brevet Major William Tauzia Savary, retired Royal Marine Light Infantry, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, under the provisions of the Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Quartermaster George Pittendrigh, 3rd Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain on retiring upon half-pay. Dated 25th February, 1874.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 6th February, 1874, of General Sir John Gaspard Le Marchant, K.C.B., G.C.M.G., Colonel of the 11th Foot:—

Lieutenant-General George Thomas, Earl of Albemarle, Major half-pay, Unattached, to have the rank of General. Dated 7th February, 1874.

Lieutenant - General George Thomas Colomb, Colonel of the 97th Foot, to be General. Date 7th February, 1874.

Major-General Henry Sykes Stephens, Captain half-pay, Unattached, to have the rank of Lieutenant-General. Dated 7th February, 1874.

Major-General James M'Queen, Major half-pay, Unattached, to have the rank of Lieutenant-General. Dated 7th February, 1874.

Major-General the Right Honourable Francis

Plunkett Dunne, Major half-pay Unattached, to have the rank of Lieutenant-General. Dated

7th February, 1874.

Major-General Rawdon J. P. Vassall, Major half-pay, Unattached, to have the rank of Lieutenant-General. Dated 7th February, 1874.

Major-General James Pattoun Sparks, C.B., Colonel of the 95th Foot, to be Lieutenant

General. Dated 7th February, 1874.

Brevet-Colonel the Honourable Leicester Smyth, C.B., from Major half-pay, late Rifle Brigade, and Deputy Quartermaster General in Ireland, to be Major-General, dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 7th February, 1874.

Major John Inman, half-pay, late 18th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 7th February,

1874.

Major Arthur Saltmarshe, 70th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 7th February, 1874.

Captain and Brevet Major William Aldersey James Shortt, 57th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 7th February, 1874.

Captain and Brevet Major Hickman Rose Russell, half-pay, late 57th Foot, to be Lieutenant-

Colonel. Dated 7th February, 1874.

Major Edward Thomas Brooke, Royal Engineers, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 7th February, 1874.

Major Joseph Bonus, Royal Engineers, to be Lieutenant - Colonel. Dated 7th February, 1874.

Captain William Henry Parker, 17th Foot, to be Major. Dated 7th February, 1874.

The undermentioned Officers to have the temporary rank of Captain in the Army whilst serving

as Adjutants of the Auxiliary Forces. Commissions to be dated 25th February, 1874:—
Charles Keyworth, Royal Anglesey Militia.
George Toseland, Bedford Militia.
Frederick Henry Lang, Royal Berks Militia.
Robert Brereton, Royal Brecon Militia.
Frederick Powell, Royal Bucks Militia.
Michael Dickment, Cambridge Militia.
Charles Bassett Lewis, Royal Cardigan Militia.
Edward Denne Nares, Royal Carnarvon Militia.
Charles Harry White Let Bayel Charles Militia.

Charles Henry White, 1st Royal Cheshire Militia. Thomas Frederick Hill Alms, Cornwall Rangers Militia.

Morris James Fawcett, Royal Cumberland Militia. John Barnett Barker, Royal Denbigh Militia. John Augustus Conolly, V.C, 1st Derby Militia. Frederick Albert Champion, 2nd Derby Militia. John Walter Savile, 1st Devon Militia.

Alfred Benwell Letts, 2nd or South Devon Militia.

Charles Clapcott, Dorset Militia.

Edward Frederick Agnew, 1st Durham Militia.

Henry Stepart Tompson, 2nd or North Durham

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Richard Edwyn Barry, Essex Rifles Militia. Robert Otho Travers, West Essex Militia. Arthur Lake, Royal Flint Militia.

Herrick Augustus Palmer, Royal Glamorgan Militia.

William Harry Stone, Royal South Gloucester Militia.

Henry Lumsden Battiscombe, Royal North Gloucester Militia.

James Nicol, Hampshire Militia.

James Frost, Hampshire Artillery Militia.

Charles S. Graham, Hants, Isle of Wight, Artillery Militia.

Chester Doughty, Hereford Militia.

Henry Grimston Hale, Hertford Militia.

Henry Godolphin Rooper, Huntingdon Militia.

Philip Henry Knight, East Kent Militia. John McCallum, Kent Artillery Militia.

Bryan Thornhill, 1st Royal Lancashire Militia.

Henry Stewart Beresford Bruce, 2nd Royal Lancashire Militia.

Percy Godfrey Botfield Lake, 3rd Royal Lancashire Militia.

Arthur Henley, 5th Royal Lancashire Militia.

Gershom Herrick, 7th Royal Lancashire Militia.

William Campbell, Royal Lancashire Artillery Militia.

Rolland Vincent Sylvester Grimston, Leicester Militia.

Edward Snow Mason, Royal North Lincoln Militia.

Christopher Wade Farwell, Royal South Lincoln Militia.

Henry Browrie Savory, Royal London Militia. Robert M. Taylor, Royal Merioneth Militia.

Allan Shafto Adair, 2nd Middlesex, or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment of Militia.

Thomas Armstrong Gough, 3rd Middlesex, or Royal Westminster Militia.

Charles William Parker, 4th, or Royal South Middlesex Militia.

William Henry Bennett, Royal Elthorne, or 5th Middlesex Militia.

Robert John Hickman, Royal Monmouth Militia. Henry L'Estrange, 1st, or West Norfolk Militia.

William Dods, 2nd, or East Norfolk Militia. John Gilbertson, Norfolk Artillery Militia.

Thomas Rose, Northampton and Rutland Militia. Alfred Grey, Northumberland Militia.

John Francis Girardot, Nottingham, or Royal Sherwood Foresters.

John Francis Sparke, Oxford Militia.

Major William Moffat Douglas Willan, Royal Pembroke Artillery Militia. Edward Rawlings Hannan, Royal Radnor Militia. Robert Montague Hornby, Shropshire Militia.

Henry Atkinson Adair, 1st Somerset Militia.

Henry Clark Worthington, 2nd Somerset Militia. Daniel Hillman, (King's Own) 1st Stafford Militia.

Eyre Trench John Richard Nugent, (King's Own) 2nd Stafford Militia.

George Thomas Miller, 3rd (King's Own) Stafford Militia.

Charles Joshua Tufnell Oakes, West Suffolk Militia.

Frederick William Benwell, 1st Royal Surrey Militia.

Charles Lennox Tredcroft, 2nd Royal Surrey Militia.

Evelyn Latimer Parratt, 3rd Royal Surrey Militia.

John William Madden, Royal Sussex Militia.

John Henry Nott, 1st Royal Tower Hamlets Militia.

George Shirley Maxwell, 2nd Royal Tower Hamlets Militia.

Robert Dymock Vaughton, 1st Warwick Militia. Rice Davies Knight, 2nd Warwick Militia.

Robert Bridges Bellers, Royal Wiltshire Militia. William Charles Hill, Worcester Militia.

John Edward Brodhurst, East York Militia.

Dugald Stewart Miller, North York Militia. William Carr, Yorkshire Artillery Militia.

Philip George Hewett, 1st West York Militia.

John Hopkins, 2nd West York Militia.

The Honourable Frederick Howard, 3rd West York Militia.

Richard Henry Atkinson, 4th West York Militia. Henry Balguy, 5th West York Militia.

William Henry Spencer, 6th West York Militia. Archibald George Keen, Royal Aberdeenshire

Highlanders Militia.

George Hewson, Argyll and Bute Artillery Militia.

Charles Somerville M'Alestor, Royal Ayr and Wigtown Militia.

Herbert John Hill, Scottish Borderers Militia.

Robert Charles Dudgeon, Edinburgh, or Queen's Regiment of Light Infantry Militia.

John Boulton, Edinburgh Artillery Militia.

William Manwell, Fife Artillery Militia.

James Sandys Bird, Haddington, Berwick, Linlithgow, and Peebles Artillery Militia.

William Donaldson, Highland Light Infantry Militia.

Arthur Augustus Longmore, 1st Royal Lanark Militia.

Francis William Johnstone, 2nd Royal Lanark Militia.

Lord Charles Lennox Kerr, Royal Perth Militia.

William Forrest, Renfrew Militia.

John Cornelius Craigie Halkett, Highland Borderers Light Infantry Militia.

Frederick Austin, Antrim Militia.

Andrew Munro, Antrim Artillery Militia.

Charles Pakenham, Armagh Militia.

Kearns Deane Tanner, Carlow Militia.

Nieholas Gosselin, Cavan Militia.

William Johnson, North Cork Militia.

Henry Lueas, South Cork Militia.

Thomas Pudney, West Cork Artillery Militia.

Henry Archdall Doyne, Donegal Artillery Militia. George Rowan Hamilton, Royal North Down

Militia.

James Balcombe, Royal South Down Militia.

William Montgomerie Stuart Caulfeild, Dublin County Militia.

Gerrard John Forsyth, Royal Dublin City Militia. Charles M'Callum, Dublin City Artillery, Militia. Henry Beckwith Sawrey, Fermanagh Militia. Octavius Lowry, Galway Militia. Richard Roberts, Kerry Militia.

The Honourable Edward Lawless, Kildare Militia. Robert Sandford Warburton, Kilkenny Militia.

William Trocke, King's County Militia. George Hastings Brooke, Leitrim Militia.

Thomas George Mawe, Limerick County Militia.

Richard Pierse Butler, Londonderry Militia.

William Enderby, The Prince of Wales' Royal Regiment of Longford Rifles Militia.

William Johnston Bellingham, Louth Militia.

John Warren, North Mayo Militia.

John Edmund Whaite, South Mayo Militia.

Edward Halford Pierce Elderton, Royal Meath Militia.

Henry Henderson, Monaghan Militia.

Charles Compton Abbott, Queen's County Militia. John Arthur Howard Gorges, Roscommon Militia. Maxwell du Prè Stronge, Sligo Militia.

Francis John Milman, 1st or South Tipperary

Artillery Militia.

Robert Conway Dobbs Ellis, Royal Tyrone Fusiliers Militia.

Joseph Stanley Wright, Tyrone Artillery Militia.

John Ballard Gardiner, Westmeath Militia.

Philip Savage Alcock, Wexford Militia. John Stanley Howard, Wicklow Militia.

Reginald Calvert, Buckinghamshire (Royal Bucks) Yeomanry Cavalry.

William Veall Greetham, Royal 1st Devou

(Exeter) Yeomanry Cavalry.

Newton Charles Chichester, Royal North Devon (Hussars) Yeomanry Cavalry.

Charles Tindal Griffis, Dorset (Queen's Own) Yeomanry Cavalry.

Roger Dawson Upton, Essex (West Essex)

Ycomanry Cavalry.

Henry Baring, Gloucestershire (Royal Gloucestershire Hussars) Yeomanry Cavalry.

W. M. Powell, Hampshire (Hants) Yeomanry Cavalry.

John Limbert, Royal East Kent (Mounted Rifles)

Yeomanry Cavalry.

Robert Bury, West Kent (Queen's Own) Yeomanry Cavalry.

John Mackane, Lanarkshire Yeomanry Cavalry. Charlie Berkeley Molyneux, Duke of Lancaster's

Own Yeomanry Cavalry.

Edward Brown, Lancashire Hussars Yeomanry Cavalry.

John Gibsone, Leicestershire (Prince Albert's

Own) Yeomanry Cavalry.

Major John Fife, Northumberland and Newcastle Yeomanry Cavalry.

Frederick L. Dashwood, Oxfordshire (Queen's

Own Oxford) Yeomanry Cavalry.

Major Richard Playne Smith, Shropshire Yeo-

manry Cavalry.

J. W. Balfour, North Somerset Yeomanry Cavalry. T. B. Tomlin, West Somerset Yeomanry Cavalry. Peter Charles Gillies Webster, Staffordshire (Queen's Own Royal Regiment) Yeomanry

Thomas Manders, Royal Wiltshire (Prince of Wales' Own Royal Regiment), Yeomanry

Cavalry.

Cavalry.

James Alston Clark, Yorkshire Hussars (Princess

of Wales' Own) Yeomanry Cavalry.

Horace Durrant, 1st West York Yeomanry Cavalry.

Thomas George Johnson, 2nd West York Yeo-

manry Cavalry.

James Kinnear, 1st Administrative Brigade Aberdeenshire Artillery Volunteers.

Mars M. Pohle, 2nd Administrative Battalion Aberdeenshire Rifle Volunteers.

James B. Blair, 3rd Administrative Battalion Aberdeenshire Rifle Volunteers.

Henry A. Crane, 1st Aberdeenshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

George Alexander Shepherd, 1st Administrative Brigade Argyll Artillery Volunteers.

William James Hall, 1st Administrative Battalion of Argyllshire Highland Rifle Volunteers.

Alexander Mancor, 1st Administrative Battalion

Ayrshire Rifle Volunteers.

Wildman Yates Peel, 2nd Administrative Battalion Ayrshire Rifle Volunteers.

Henry Adams, 1st Administrative Brigade Banff Artillery Volunteers.

James C. Carter, 1st Berkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Brevet Major George Renny, 1st Administrative Battalion Berwickshire Rifle Volunteers.

William Clode Braddon, 1st Administrative Battalion Brecknockshire Rifle Volunteers.

Reynold A. Clement, 1st Administrative Battalion Bucks Rifle Volunteers.

Charles Lee, 1st Administrative Brigade Caithness Artillery Volunteers.

Percy B. Schreiber, 1st Administrative Battalion Cambridgeshire Rifle Volunteers.

Ralph Leeson, 3rd Cambridgeshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Edward George M'D. Ick, 1st Administrative Battalion Cheshire Rifie Volunteers.

Thomas Carpendale Baird, 3rd Administrative Battalion Cheshire Rifle Volunteers.

Charles M. Walmisley, 4th Administrative Battalion Cheshire Rifle Volunteers.

Lieutenant-Colonel Lawrence P. Bouverie, 1st Cheshire Engineer Volunteers.

Spence D. Turner, 1st Administrative Battalion Cinque Ports Rifle Volunteers.

David J. K. Sangster, 2nd Admininistrative Battalion Cinque Ports Rifle Volunteers. 1874.

Honorary Major James Robertson, 1st Administrative Battalion Clackmannan Rifle Volunteers.

Robert Edyvean, 1st Administrative Brigade the Duke of Cornwall's Artillery Volunteers.

Robert H. Carew, 1st Administrative Battalion the Duke of Cornwall's Rifle Volunteers.

John O. Barnett, 2nd Administrative Battalion the Duke of Cornwall's Rifle Volunteers.

James Fairtlough, 1st Administrative Battalion Cumberland Rifle Volunteers

George Henry Wriford, 1st Administrative Brigade Cumberland Artillery Volunteers.

Marcell Conran, 1st Administrative Battalion Denbighshire Rifle Volunteers.

Charles Y. Balguy, 1st Administrative Battalion Derbyshire Rifle Volunteers.

Major Edward Levett. 3rd Administrative Battalion Derbyshire Rifle Volunteers.

Patrick Arthur Keating, 1st Administrative Brigade Devonshire Artillery Volunteers.

Frederick D. Bewes, 4th Administrative Battalion Devonshire Rifle Volunteers.

George Henry Courtenay, 1st Devonshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Major Herbert George Bowden, 1st Administrative Battalion Dumfries Rifle Volunteers.

Richard Hardcastle, 2nd Durham Artillery Volunteer Corps.

R Trimble, 1st Durham Engineer Volunteer Corps.

William Benjamin Wilkin, 1st Administrative Battalion Durham Rifle Volunteers.

George Horne, 2nd Administrative Battalion Durham Kifle Volunteers.

James M. Webster, 3rd Administrative Battalion Durham Rifle Volunteers.

Robert Thompson, 4th Administrative Battalion Durham Rifle Volunteers. Henry William Roberts, 3rd Durham Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Meredith James Vibart, 1st Edinburgh (City)

Artillery Volunteer Corps.

William Hills, 1st Edinburgh (City) Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Donald Patrick Campbell, 1st Edinburgh (City)

Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Robert D. D. Hay, 3rd Essex Artillery Volunteer Corps.

David Stuart, 3rd Administrative Battalion Essex

Rifle Volunteers.

Charles Davis, 5th Essex Rifle Volunteer Corps. John Kerin Creagh, 9th Essex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Robert Tod Boothby, 1st Administrative Brigade

Fifeshire Artillery Volunteers.

Robert Bethune, 1st Administrative Battalion Fifeshire Rifle Volunteers.

John O. J. Priestley, 1st Administrative Battalion Flintshire Rifle Volunteers.

Alexander George Bax, 1st Administrative Battalion Forfar Rifle Volunteers.

James Falconer, 1st Forfar Rifle Volunteer Corps. James T. S. Richardson, 10th Forfar Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Anthony P. Traherne, 1st Administrative Bat-

talion Glamorgan Rifle Volunteers.

Donald J. G. Stewart, 2nd Administrative Battalion Glamorgan Rifle Volunteers.

Herbert Johnes Berners, 3rd Glamorgan Rifle

Volunteer Corps.

William M'Adam, 1st Administrative Brigade Gloucestershire Artillery Volunteers.

Francis George Irwin, 1st Administrative Battalion Gloucestershire Engineer Volunteers

Lorenzo G. Lysons, 1st Administrative Battalion Gloucestershire Rifle Volunteers.

Arthur Mowbray Jones, 1st Gloucestershire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

James Gordon, 1st Administrative Battalion Haddington Rifle Volunteers.

William Norman Naish, 1st Administrative Bri-

gade Hampshire Artillery Volunteers.
William Cooke, 4th Administrative Battalion

Hampshire Rifle Volunteers.
Brevet-Major Bevil Granville, 1st Administrative
Battalion Hertfordshire Rifle Volunteers.

John Wynter James Gifford, 2nd Administrative Battalion Hertfordshire Rifle Volunteers

James Hayes, 1st Huntingdonshire Light Horse Volunteer Corps.

Colin Duff, 1st Inverness-shire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

John M'Grotty, 1st Administrative Battalion Isle of Wight Rifle Volunteers.

William McKown 1st Administrative Brigade Kent Artillery Volunteers.

Granville Deedes, 19th Kent Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Thomas Charles Briggs, 1st Administrative Battalion Kent Rifle Volunteers.

Frederick C. S. Dyer, 3rd Administrative Battalion Kent Rifle Volunteers.

Allen George Douglas, 4th Administrative Battalion Kent Rifle Volunteers.

William H. Kebbel, 26th Kent Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Henry Lees, 1st Lanarkshire Engineer Volunteer Corps

George Thomas Thornton, 3rd Administrative Battalion Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteers.

Augustus William Price, 3rd Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

John Granger, 4th Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps. Walter H. Gill, 16th Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Edmund H. B. Lysons, 19th Lanarkshire Rifle

Volunteer Corps.

Alexander R. A. Boyd, 25th Lanarkshire Rifle

Volunteer Corps.

James Orr, 29th Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer

Corps.

Robert Mercer Tod, 105th Lanarkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

John Mackenzie, 2nd Administrative Brigade

Lancashire Artillery Volunteers.

Anthony H. H. Whitehead, 4th Administrative Brigade Lancashire Artillery Volunteers.

Francis Murdoch, 1st Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

David Humphreys, 4th Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Lawrence K. Furlong, 8th Lancashire Artillery

Volunteer Corps.

Joseph Gilbey, 15th Lancashire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

George Morgan, 19th Lancashire Artillery

Volunteer Corps.

James Arthur Bloomfield, 1st Lancashire Engineer Volunteer Corps.

Peter Curry, 2nd Lancashire Engineer Volunteer

Corps.

George Mappett, 3rd Administrative Battalion Lancashire Rifle Volunteers.

Rodney P. O'Shea, 4th Administrative Battalion Lancashire Rifle Volunteers.

Walter O. Wade, 5th Administrative Battalion Lancashire Rifle Volunteers.

Edmund Charles Prichard, 7th Administrative Battalion Lancashire Rifle Volunteers.

Hubert C. Whitlock, 8th Administrative Battalion Lancashire Rifle Volunteers.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles P. Bertram 9th Administrative Battalion Lancashire Rifle Volunteers.

Richard Holden, 1st Lancashire Rifle Volunteer

Corps

William Hartshorn, 6th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Theodosius S. Russell, 24th Lancashire Rifle

Volunteer Corps.

Edward Lyttelton Frances, 27th Lancashire Rifle Volumeer Corps.

William Bolton, 33rd Lancashire Rifle Volunteer

Corps.

John G. S. Willcocks, 47th Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

William H. Weston, 56th Lancashire Rifle Volun-

teer Corps.

G. Hudson Greaves, 64th (Liverpool Irish) Lancashire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Robert Murphy Nicolls, 1st Administrative Battalion Leicestershire Rifle Volunteers.

Thomas Humphries, 1st Administrative Brigade Lincolnshire Artillery Volunteers.

Francis C. Kennedy, 1st Administrative Battalion Lincolnshire Rifle Volunteers.

William Longstaffe, 2nd Administrative Battalion Lincolnshire Rifle Volunteers.

John P. Cox, 1st Administrative Battalion Linlithgowshire Rifle Volunteers.

Brevet Major Richard D'O. Fletcher, 1st London Engineer Volunteer Corps.

Alexander Thomas Ewens, 1st London Rifle Volunteer Corps.

John B. L. Nevinson, 2nd London Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Abel W. Boyce, 3rd London Rifle Volunteer Corps.

R. A. Fitzgerald Studdert, 1st Administrative Brigade Middlesex Artillery Volunteers. James Charles Lowrie, 2nd Middlesex Artillery Volunteer Corps.

William M'Ilroy, 3rd Middlesex Artillery Volun-

teer Corps.

Francis Tipping Ball, 1st Middlesex Engineer Volunteer Corps.

R. Wallen Jones, 2nd Administrative Battalion

Middlesex Rifle Volunteers.

Edward Daubeny, 7th Administrative Battalion Middlesex Rifle Volunteers.

George Pennymore, 9th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

John C. Tait, 11th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Philip Read, 19th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer

Corps.

Richard Hotham, 20th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Graves C. S. Lombard, 21st Middlesex (Civil Service) Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Major Ellis James Charter, 22nd Middlesex

(Queen's) Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Robert Paterson Elliot, 26th Middlesex (The Customs and the Docks) Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Frederick S. Daubeny, 28th Middlesex (London

Irish) Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Alexander B. Wallis, 29th Middlesex (North Middlesex) Rifle Volunteer Corps.

John Clarke, 36th Middlesex Rifle Volunteer

Corps.

Matthew Coke, 37th Middlesex (St. Giles' and St. George's, Bloomsbury) Rifle Volunteer Corps.

James Alexander Ramsay, 38th Middlesex Rifle

Volunteer Corps.

Francis B. L. Cowper, 40th Middlesex (Central. London Rifle Rangers) Rifle Volunteer Corps.

John Macdonald, 1st Midlothian Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Thomas B. Cowburn, 1st Administrative Battalion Monmouthshire Rifle Volunteers.

Henry Barré Phipps, 2nd Administrative Battalion Monmouthshire Rifle Volunteers.

James A. O. Carnegy, 2nd Monmouthshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Daniel Broadhurst, 1st Newcastle-on-Tyne Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Robert Cairnes Bruce, 1st Newcastle-on-Tyne

Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Major James Morris Hill, 1st Administrative Brigade Norfolk Artillery Volunteers.

G. N. Micklethwait, 1st Norfolk Rifle Volunteer

Corps.

Frank Astley Cubitt, 2nd Norfolk Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Henry A. Cubitt, 4th Norfolk Rifle Volunteer

Corps.

Henry Landon, 1st Administrative Battalion Northamptonshire Rifle Volunteers.

Frederick Turner, 1st Administrative Brigade Northumberland Artillery Volunteers.

Arthur Walker, 1st Administrative Battalion Northumberland Rifle Volunteers.

George Taylor, 8th Northumberland Rifle Volunteer Cerps.

George M. L. Egerton, 1st Administrative Battalion Nottinghamshire Rifle Volunteers.

Jonathan White, 1st Nottinghamshire (Robin Hood) Rifle Volunteer Corps.

John Yates, 1st Administrative Brigade Orkney Artillery Volunteers.

J. A. Fane, 1st Administrative Battalion Oxfordshire Rifle Volunteers.

William F. F. Jones, 1st Oxfordshire (Oxford University) Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Major George P. Salmon, 1st Administrative Battalion Perthshire Rifle Volunteers.

Major Charles Campbell Hook, 2nd Administrative Battalion Perthshire Rifle Volunteers.

William Taylor, 1st Administrative Brigade Renfrewshire Artillery Volunteers.

John Joseph Grier, 1st Administrative Battalion Renfrewshire Rifle Volunteers.

Henry Gipps, 2nd Administrative Battalion Renfrewshire Rifle Volunteers.

Richard James Hotchkis, 3rd Administrative Battalion Renfrewshire Rifle Volunteers.

Edward F. Cash, 1st Administrative Battalion Ross-shire Rifle Volunteers.

James F. Macpherson, 1st Administrative Battalion Roxburgh (the Border) Rifle Volunteers.

George Plunkett, 1st Administrative Brigade Shropshire Artillery Volunteers.

Robert H. Coldwell, 1st Administrative Battalion Shropshire Rifle Volunteers.

Major John-William Thomas Locke, 2nd Administrative Battalion Shropshire Rifle Volunteers.

Francis J. Bamfylde, 1st Administrative Battalion Somersetshire Rifle Volunteers.

George Shuldham Peard, 2nd Administrative Battalion Somersetshire Rifle Volunteers.

Richard B. T. Thelwall, 3rd Administrative Battalion Somersetshire Rifle Volunteers.

James M. Buchanan, 1st Administrative Battalion Staffordshire Rifle Volunteers.

William Charles Driberg, 2nd Administrative Battalion Staffordshire Rifle Volunteers.

Henry R. Mitford, 3rd Administrative Battalion Staffordshire Rifle Volunteers.

Walter B. Burke, 4th Administrative Battalion Staffordshire Rifle Volunteers.

Richard B. Rowland Bedford, 5th Administrative Battalion Staffordshire Rifle Volunteers. Peter Chalmers, 1st Administrative Battalion Stirlingshire Rifle Volunteers.

Nathaniel Barnardiston, 1st Administrative Bat-

talion Suffolk Rifle Volunteers.

John Spark, 1st Surrey Artillery Volunteer Corps.

Isaac King, 1st Administrative Battalion Surrey Rifle Volunteers.

Charles James Urquhart, 2nd Administrative Battalion Surrey Rifle Volunteers.

Colonel Deane Shute, 3rd Administrative Battalion Surrey Rifle Volunteers.

Charles George Clarke, 4th Administrative Battalion Surrey Rifle Volunteers.

Richard Maunsell, 1st Surrey (South London)
Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Edward O'Callaghan, 2nd Surrey Rifle Volunteer

William P. Jones, 7th Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps.

George Lidwill, 19th Surrey Rifle Volunteer Corps.

The Honourable Charles C. Chetwynd, 1st Administrative Battalion Sussex Rifle Volunteers.

Cary Borrer, 2nd Administrative Battalion Sussex Rifle Volunteers.

Macdonald Hall, 1st Sussex Rifle Volunteer Corps. Brevet Major Charles Samuel Weston, 1st Administrative Battalion Sutherland (The Sutherland Highland Rifle Volunteers) Rifle Volunteers.

William Henry Coles, 2nd Tower Hamlets (East London) Engineer Volunteer Corps.

Armar Lowry, 1st Tower Hamlets Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Edward Edwards, 1st Administrative Battalion Warwiekshire Rifle Volunteers.

Brevet Lieutenant Colonel Charles Murray, 1st

Administrative Battalion Westmoreland Rifle Volunteers.

Robert D. Gibney, 1st Administrative Battalion Wiltshire Rifle Volunteers.

Michael Bradford, 2nd Administrative Battalion Wiltshire Rifle Volunteers.

Henry R. Wolrige, 1st Administrative Battalion Woreestershire Rifle Volunteers.

William Langmead Lewes, 2nd Administrative Battalion Worcestershire Rifle Volunteers.

V. S. Griffith, 1st Administrative Battalion East Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteers.

Thomas Palmer, 1st East Riding of Yorkshire

Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Samuel Hopper Powell, 1st Administrative Battalion North Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteers.

John Hedley, 2nd Administrative Battalion North Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteers.

Frederick Page, 1st Administrative Brigade West Riding of Yorkshire Artillery Volunteers.

Thomas Shields, 1st West Riding of Yorkshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

John H. Hall, 4th West Riding of Yorkshire Artillery Volunteer Corps.

John M'Arthur, 1st West Riding of Yorkshire Engineer Volunteer Corps.

Edward Longbottom, 2nd West Riding of Yorkshire Engineer Volunteer Corps.

William Cookson, 2nd Administrative Battalion West Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteers.

Richard Townley, 3rd Administrative Battalion West Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteers.

Major Edward Bowen Cooke, 4th Administrative Battalion West Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteers.

William Sheffield Hardinge, 5th Administrative Battalion West Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteers. Edward Mills, 2nd West Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Thomas K. Neild, 3rd West Riding of Yorkshire

Rifle Volunteer Corps.

Henry L. Hunt, 7th West Riding of Yorkshire Rifle Volunteer Corps.

The undermentioned Quartermasters of Militia to have the temporary rank of Quartermaster in the Army while doing duty with Brigade Depôts:—

James Murray, Cornwall Rangers. Dated 25th February, 1874.

James Galbraith, Galway Militia. Dated 25th February, 1874.

W. Russell, Kerry Militia. Dated 25th February,

1874.

Robert Brown, 2nd Royal Lanark Militia. Dated 25th February, 1874.

Alexander Geddes, Royal Perth Militia. Dated 25th February, 1874.

MEMORANDUM.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Richard Charles Grant, half-pay, late 5th Lancers, retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 6th February, 1874.

Treasury Chambers, February 21, 1874.

THE Secretary of State for War, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby gives notice, that the following employment is withdrawn from Schedule A of the Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870; viz.:—

The employment of Surveyor's Clerk temporarily employed under the provisions of the Military Forces Localization Act of 1872.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of FEBRUARY 27, 1874.

War Office, February 25, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of William Brampton Gurdon, Esq, of the Treasury, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

India Office, February 25, 1874.

The Queen has been graeiously pleased to nominate and appoint Colonel Henry Hopkinson, Bengal Staff Corps, late Commissioner of Assam and Agent to the Governor-General of India on the North East Frontier, to be a Companion of the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India.

Crown Office, February 27, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland to constitute and appoint Sir John Burgess Karslake, Knt.; one of Her Counsel learned in the Law, Her Majesty's Attorney-General.

The Queen has also been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to constitute and appoint Sir Richard Baggallay, Knt., one of Her Counsel-learned in the Law, Her Majesty's

Solicitor-General.

St. James's Palace, February 27, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased, on the nomination of the Earl of Ilchester, to appoint Lieutenant-Colonel Horatio Page Vance, late 38th Regiment, one of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms, vice Captain Nathaniel George Philips, resigned.

Foreign Office, February 16, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint David Hopkins, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul for the Province of Angola and its Dependencies, with the Islands of San Thomé and Principé, to reside at Loanda.

Foreign Office, February 20, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Cavaliere Roberto Slythe as Consul-General in Malta, with jurisdiction over the Maltese Islands, for His Majesty the King of Italy.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Samuel L. Glasgow as Consul at Glasgow

for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. J. W. Faulkner as Consul at Cowes for His

Majesty the King of the Netherlands.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Señor José Maria Gonzalez Benito as Consul at Southampton for the United States of Colombia.

Whitehall, February 26, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Humphrey Ewing Crum Ewing, of Strathleven, in the county of Dumbarton, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Lieutenant of the county of Dumbarton.

Whitehall, February 26, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend David Barrie to the church and parish of Dunnichen, in the presbytery and county of Forfar, vacant by the translation of the Reverend Thomas Alexander Cameron to the church and parish of Farnell, in the presbytery of Brechin, and county of Forfar.

War Office, Pall Mall, 27th February, 1874.

- 1st Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Jocelyn Tufton Farrant Otway, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice J. B. Hone, resigned. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 5th Drogoon Guards, Walter George Barttelot, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice E. C. Newcome, whose appointment has been cancelled. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 6th Dragoon Guards, Alexander Sprot, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice F. J. Walker, transferred to the 38th Foot. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 2nd Dragoons, William Christopher James, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant C. J. Campbell, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- David Scott Porteous, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant T. K. McClinktock Bunbury, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 5th Lancers, Lieutenant Arthur Cornewall Chester Master, from the Royal North Gloucester Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice C. H. V. Garbet, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 28th February, 1874.

- Henry Amelius Adams Gridley, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant E. V. P. Monteith, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 8th Hussars, Lieutenant John Denton Pinkstone French, from the Suffolk Artillery Militia, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant A. Pringle, who has resigned his Commission. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Albemarle Alexander Rawlinson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant Sir W. Eden, Bart., retired. Dated 28th

February, 1874.

14th Hussars, Lieutenant Christopher Devonsher Villiers Tuthill, from the 3rd Middlesex, or Royal Westminster Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice W. H. D. Ward, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Beresford Stuart Criehton Loftus - Tottenham, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, viee H. R. L. Howard, transferred to the 16th Lancers.

Dated 28th February, 1874.

- 15th Hussars, William Home Cazalet, Gent, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant J. M'Bryan, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- George Allen Webbe, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant R. H. Rochfort-Boyd, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 19th Hussars, Lieutenant Arthur James Lushington, from West Kent Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. Hall, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 21st Hussars, Francis William Edwin Mannsell,

Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice J. J. N. Spicer, transferred to the 5th Lancers. Dated

28th February, 1874.

Willoughby Inversity, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. M. MacKenzie, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 28th February, 1874.

- 1st Foot, Charles Harold Hepworth Beley, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- Gny Theophilus Campbell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant L. E. Miller, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 3rd Foot, John William Hind, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant F. A. Coles, retired Dated 28th February, 1874.
- Edward Peyton Ventris, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant A. W. H. Gelston, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- Cosmo Huntly Gordon, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. S. Neild, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 4th Foot, Arthur Stephen Brunskill, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice A. D. D. Kelly, transferred to the 34th Foot. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 6th Foot, Henry Lushington Ramsay, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. W. Magee, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 8th Foot, George Robert Stone, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant E. W. B. Hope, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 10th Foot, Henry Wiley, Gent., to be Sul-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant F. Robertson, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.

11th Foot, James Loughnau O'Bryen, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant E. R. M. Baskerville, promoted. Dated 28th

February, 1874.

Henry George Ryland, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant M. E. H. O. Welch. transferred to the 89th Foot. Dated 28th February, 1874.

- 12th Foot, Frank Stewart Whittington Raikes, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant the Honourable J. M. Stopford, transferred to the 52nd Foot. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 13th Foo', Lieutenant Henry Alfred Walsh, from the 1st Somerset Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice G. S. Burton, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- Thomas Hugh Shettle, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant R. A. Jalland, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 14th Foot, Robert Eeeles, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant P. W. Symonds, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- Vivian Rochfort Rae, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. H. Young, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 15th Foot, Cecil Francis Garnett, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant G E. Ryan, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- John Russell Compton Domvile, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. B. Brown, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 18th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Melville Hatchell, from the Wexford Militia, to be Lieutenant, in

succession to Sub-Lieutenant J. E. Jameson, transferred to the 20th Hussars. Dated 28th February, 1874.

19th Foot, Lieutenant Richard Foord, from the North York Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice H. C. Cholmondeley, transferred to the Rifle Brigade. Dated 28th February, 1874.

23rd Foot, Lieutenant Lord Henry Edward Brudenell Somerset from the Royal Monmouth Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice G. B. Luxford, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Ernest Riddle Evans, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. J. Knox,

promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.

24th Foot, Lieutenant James Patrick Daly, from the Galway Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice J. Hoskyns, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.

- George Frederick John Hodson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice G. P. M. Prichard, transferred to the 56th Foot. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- Sub-Lieutenant Wilfred Heaton, from the Royal Carnarvon Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant F. R. B. Liebenrood, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Charles John Atkinson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant O. de B. Carey, transferred to the 23rd Foot. Dated

28th February, 1874.

- 25th Foot, Francis Arthur Cartwright Claughton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice C. A. Morgan, superseded for absence without leave. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 26th Foot, William Charles Hill Anton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant V. Davenport, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.

27th Foot. Lieutenant Alexander Charles Hill, from the Donegal Arrillery Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice F. Coffey, promoted. Dated 18th February, 1874.

Sal-Lieuténant Henry Struirel Tunnari, from the Ind Warwick Mibria, the Sub-Li-utenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. FireJohn Townsend, retiled. Dated 28th February, 1874.

- 51st Foot, Lieutenant William James Holmes Froisbam, from the 1st Royal Survey Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th February, 1874.
- 40th Foot. Sub-Lieutenant Harry Stanley Massy, from the 3rd Middlesex Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice R. C. D. Wilson, transferred to the 60th Foot. Dated 2rth February, 1874.
- 41st Food Lieutenant Elward Henry Le Marchant, from the Royal South Glourester Militia, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant G. C. Fuller, transferred to the 3rd Hussars. Dated 25th February, 1874.
- 45th Fort, Charles Edward Wylle Macdonald. Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice T. H Vi kers, apocinted Quartermaster, 55th Fort. Dated 25th February, 1874.
- John Franklin Wurlledge, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutevant, in succession to Lieutenant J. O. Guge, promoted. Duted 28th February, 1874.
- 47th Foot Lieutenant Daniel de Hophton, from the 3rd Royal Lancashire Militiz, to be Lieutenant, vice A. F. W. Austen, retired. Dated 25th February, 1874.
- 45th Foot, Maxwell John Hunro, G nt., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant P E. Bowley, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 49th Foot, Henry Lawrence Duly. Gent., to e

- Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant W. Stevenson, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 51st Foot, Henry Allen William Johnson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant G. F. Campbell, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 52nd Foot, Lieutenant Frederick John Fane Fyler, from the Oxford Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice R. J. F. Edgcumbe, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 54th Foot, Hector Edmond Monro, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 57th Foot, Lieutenant David Edward Wood, from the 1st Royal Lanark Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. D. Wade, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- Charles Baldwyn Childe-Pemberton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant D. D. Batty, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- William Henry Morris Bent, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice C. H. Morris, transferred to the 14th Foot. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 60th Foot, Grenville Hylton Wells, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant F. C. B. Coulson, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 64th Foot, Lieutenant Thomas Currie, from the Royal Cumberland Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice W. W. Brownjohn, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Henry Beaufoy Mortimer, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant G. J. Paterson, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Arthur John St. George French, Gent., to be

- Sub-Lieutetana in survession to Lieutetano H. St. G. Ord. retiral. Patal 18th February. 1874.
- 554) Free, Lieutemant John Henry Watson, from the Carlow Militia, to be Lieutemant, in succession to Sub-Lieutemant C. L. J. Bourchier, resigned. Dated 18th February, 1874.
- 67sh Food James Philip Sparling, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenand, in succession to Lieutenand J. P. S. Conks, retired. Dated 18th February, 1874.
- 63th Fred Osmali James Henry Ball, Gent. to be Sub-Lieutenann, in succession to Lieutenant F. L. W. Wedge, retired. Dated 28th Febcuary, 1874.

Lieurenant Freierick Francis Johnson, from the Queen's Crunty Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant, rice Lord A. Hennedy, transferred to the 40ud

Fort. Dated 18th February, 1874.

Charles William Henry Evans. Gent. to be Sub-Lieutenant in succession to Lieutenant R. J. G. Creed. transferred to the 17th Foot. Doted 18th February, 1874.

Took Foor. Walter Richard Pollock Hamilton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant A. E. Crichton, revired. Duted 18th February, 1874.

Alfred Edwin Jones, Gent, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant W. V. Ford, retired.

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- 71st From Erness Dight Mansel, Gent., to be Sub-Lieumenant, vice K. R. Markennie, transferred to the Tith Fest. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 74th Foot. Lieutenous Harry James Fergusson. from the Royal Ayr and Wigtown Militia. to be

Lieutenant, vice E. A. Graham, retired. Dated

28th February, 1874.

Henry Ludlow Lopes, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant A. W. J. Gow-Steuart, transferred to the 1st Dragoon Guards. Dated 28th February, 1874.

- 75th Foot, William Moore, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant P. F. Walker, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 77th Foot. Ernest Edward Foley, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant A. B. Mein, transferred to the 22nd Foot. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 80th Foot, Otway Mayne, Gent, to be Sub-Lieutenant. vice C. G. Makellar, transferred to the 25th Foot. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Arthur Wellesley Hast, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant E. Gillman,

retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Archibald Borthwick Horsbrugh, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice G. F. Webster, transferred to the 20th Foot. Dated 28th February, 1874.

- Christopher Douglas Fisher Hamilton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice G. B. Robbins, transferred to the 91st Foot. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 81st Foot, Charles Wilson Young, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant M. S. Wynne, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- John Davidson: Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. A. B. Bristow, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 84th Foot, Lieutenant Charles William Augustus Arthur, from the Edinburgh Artillery Militia, to be Lieutenant. vice R. St. G. H. Hamilton,

transferred to the 65th Foot. Dated 28th Feb-

ruary, 1874.

Licutenant William Johnston Kirkpatrick, from from the Antrim Artillery Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant G. A. Wray, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Frederic Percy Lousada, Gent., to be Sub-Lientenant, in succession to Lieutenant R. T. Murphy, deceased. Dated 28th February. 1874.

Reginald Charles Freeman, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant F. R. Robinson, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.

- 87th Foot, Lieutenant Ribton Gore, from the North Mayo Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice G. C. O. Courtenay, who has been super-eded for absence without leave. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- John Tyrwhitt-Walker, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 90th Foot, John George Morris, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant R. Lawrence, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 91st Foot, Lieutenant William Hume Middlemass, from the Haddington, Berwick, Linlithgow, and Peebles Artillery Millitia, to be Lieutenant, vice W. S. Mills, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Godfrey Disney Collings, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant W. G. Gard, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.

92nd Foot, Lieutenant Francis Garden Kinlock, from the Highland Light Infantry Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice G. A. Hives, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Sub-Licutenant Edward Gilpin-Brown, from the Durham Artillery Militia, to be Sub-Licutenant,

- in succession to Lieutenant H. V. Brooke, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 93rd Foot, Lieutenant William Lockhart McCall, from the 2nd Royal Lanark Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice R. W. T. Gordon, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 95th Foot, Claude Edward Thompson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice J. O'Hara, transferred to the 23rd Foot. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 96th Foot, Henry Herbert Edwards, Gent, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice E. P. Browne, transferred to the 101st Foot. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 98th Foot, Licutenant Charles Edward Bradley, from the 3rd (King's Own) Stafford Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice J. F. Jameson, transferred to the 7th Dragoon Guards. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- Frederick George Preston, Gent, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice H. M. P. Hawkes, transferred to the 70th Foot. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- Harold Arthur Deane, Gent, to be Sub-Licutenant, in succession to Lieutenant A. H. A. Gordon, promoted in 84th Foot. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 102nd Foot, Lieutenant Spencer Godfrey Bird from the West Essex Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice C. S. Craig, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 104th Foot, Lieutenant Arthur Munro Maunsell from the Limerick County Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice E. C. Parker, transferred to the 56th Foot. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 105th Foot, Arthur Elias, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant W. W.

- Beagin, transferred to the 59th Foot. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 107th Foot, Edward Spence Hastings, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 108th Foot, Godfrey Power, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice W. A. D'O. Mealy, transferred to 67th Foot. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 109th Foot, Lieutenant Allen Montgomery, trom the Royal Meath Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice D. W. Mackinnon, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 1st West India Regiment, James Charles Charnock Gray, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant A. C. Allinson, promoted. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- 2nd West India Regiment, Warren Hastings, Gent., to be Sub-Licutenant, vice G. H. Matthews, resigned. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- Augustus Bernard, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant John Dalgleish, deceased. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- Douglas Minto Allen, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice E. H. Clementson, whose appointment has been cancelled. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- Edward Willis Duncan Ward, Gent., to be Sub-Lieurenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. Reed, retired. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- Frederick Godwin-Austen, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant J. F. Hopkins, promoted in the 16th Foot. Dated 28th February, 1874.
- Royal Hospital, Chelsea, Brevet Colonel Richard Herbert Gall, C.B., from Major, half-pay, late 14th Hussars, and Assistant-Adjutant and Quartermaster-General South Eastern District,

to be Major and Lieutenant Governor, in succession to Major-General, Charles Lennox B. Maitland, who vacates his appointment as Major owing to his promotion. Dated 1st March, 1874.

India Office, 26th February, 1874.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following Admissions to Her Majesty's Indian Medical Service:—

BENGAL.

To be Surgeons.

Dated 30th September, 1873.

Alexander John Wilcocks, M.B. Timothy Moloney, M.D. Charles Washington Shirley Deakin, M.B. Henry Kellock McKay. Frederick Robert Swaine, M.B.

MADRAS.

Hazlitt Allison, M.D.
John George Collis, M.D.
Thomas James Hackett Wilkins.
Phillip Thompson.
Richard Edward Ross.

BOMBAY.

Matthew Lorenz Bartholomensz, M.B.

War Office, 27th February, 1874.
MILITIA.

Bedford.

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel William Copeland Redmond Judd resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 28th February, 1874.

2nd Derby.

Major Edward Ward Fox is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 21st February, 1874.

Captain Archibald James Campbell is permitted to retain his rank and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement.

Dated 21st February, 1874.
Captain Lord Edward Cavendish to be Major, vice Fox, resigned. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Lieutenant Henry Gordon Levett to be Captain, vice Campbell, resigned. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Devon Artillery.

Charles Anthony Clare Deane, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th February, 1874.

Hampshire.

Lieutenant Osbert Belcarres Griesler Hervey resigns his Commission. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Hertford.

Captain Ernest Ibbetson to be Major. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Captain Henry Haslope Bagnall resigns his Commission. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Lieutenant Arthur Lydekker resigns his Commission. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Huntingdon.

Lieutenant Charles Marshall resigns his Commission. Dated 28th February, 1874.

3rd Royal Lancashire.

Captain John Hargreaves resigns his Commission. Dated 28th February, 1874.

4th Royal Lancashire.

Captain and Honorary Major David Ainsworth to be Major, vice Phibbs, resigned. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Lieutenant Charles Stanley Gardner to be Captain, vice Ainsworth, promoted. Dated

28th February, 1874.

Lieutenant John Guthrie Watson resigns his Commission. Dated 28th February, 1874.

6th Royal Lancashire.

Captain William Singleton is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Royal Merioneth.

Captain Edward Gilliat Jones resigns his Commission. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Royal Elthorne, or 5th Middlesex.

Sub - Lieutenant Henry Mordaunt Cumberlege resigns his Commission. Dated 28th February, 1874.

2nd or East Norfolk.

Frederick Charles Northland Knox, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th February, 1874.

Nottingham or Royal Sherwood Foresters.

Sub-Lieutenant Riehard Charles Strelley resigns his Commission. Dated 28th February, 1874.

1st Somerset.

Captain and Honorary Major Thomas Warry resigns his Commission, also is permitted to

retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 28th February, 1874.

The (King's Own) 1st Stafford.

Major Thomas William Fletcher is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 28th February. 1874

Captain Hervey Talbot is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 28th February, 1874.

1st Royal Surrey.

Captain Carleton Smith is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 28th February, 1874.

East York.

Assistant - Surgeon Henry Wilson resigns his Commission. Dated 28th February, 1874.

5th West York.

Frederick Hugh St. John Barker, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Philip Fonnereau, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Haddington, Berwick, Linlingow, and Peebles Artillery.

Thomas Alford Houston-Boswall, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th February, 1874.

West Cork Arillery.

Evan St. Maur Nepean, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Royal Dublin City.

Lieutenant William Henry Wenman Crofton resigns his Commission. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Limerick County.

Henry Edward Hedley Gelston, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 28th February, 1874.

1st or South Tipperary Artillery.

James Massy Dawson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th February, 1874.

North Tipperary.

Richard Augustus Cooper, late Lieutenant and Captain Scots Fusilier Guards, to be Major. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Wexford.

Edward Hay Fraser, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th February, 1874.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Oxfordshire.

Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant Francis George, Lord Churchill, resigns his Commission. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Staffordshire.

Sir Charles Michael Wolseley to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th February, 1874.

Warwickshire.

Francis Richard Charles Guy, Lord Brooke, to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 28th February, 1874.

Exchequer Bills.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice to the holders of Exchequer Bills issued under the authority of the

Act 29 V., c. 25, and dated the 11th March, 1872, that the Interest thereon for the half-year ending on the 11th March, 1874, will be payable at the Bank of England, on and after the 11th proximo; and that the Interest of such Exchequer Bills for the following half-year, to September, 1874, will be at the rate of three pounds per centum per annum.

All holders of Exchequer Bills dated the 11th March, 1872, who intend to demand payment of the principal sums therein contained at the expiration of the second year of their currency, must leave the said Bills at the Bank of England for examination, not later than the 8th proximo, between the hours of ten and two; and payment of the said principal sums will be made at the Bank on and after the 11th day of March next.

Treasury Chambers, Whitehall, 27th February, 1874.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MARCII 3, 1874.

War Office, March 3, 1873.

THE Sccretary of State for War has received Despatches, of which the following are copies, from Major-General Sir Garnet Joseph Wolseley, C.B., K.C.M.G., Commanding the Troops on the Gold Coast:—

Head Quarters, Camp, Insarfu, January 30, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to lay before you the following further reports as to the progress of the

SIR,

four columns last named in my despatch of the 25th instant.

Right Column.— Captain Glover has reported up to the 17th instant. He had crossed the Prah on the 15th, with about 750 Houssas and Yorubas, and had advanced to Obogo, whence he dates his despatch. He had taken this village by assault his troops having been fired upon as they were marching towards it. He had seven Houssas and one Yoruba wounded; the enemy's loss not being ascertained. Being in want of ammunition and supplies, he would be compelled to halt. His troops had behaved well, except in their "wild and unnecessary firing."

Second Column.—Captain Butler's last report is dated 24th instant. He writes from Yancoma, where he had arrived on the 22nd instant, about twenty miles north of the Prah. Hence two paths branch off, one towards Lake Boosum-Eching, the other towards Dadiasoo, in a westerly direction. He had proposed to follow the latter path, but the opposition of the kings was such that he was forced to abandon the movement. He hoped to get his whole force to move on the 25th; but he thus describes his position, "I can scarcely convey to you a true conception of the position in which I find myself. All information is studiously withheld from mc; carriers are constantly refused; distances are grossly exaggerated; the most vexatious and trifling pretexts are put forward; anything and everything is done to effect the one great object, -- delay."

Third Main Column.—My advanced posts are to-day on the River Dunsaboo about two and a quarter miles beyond this place, and within three-quarters of a mile of the enemy's forces at Eggi-nassie. My entire force is concentrated here and at Ahkankuassie, two and three-quarter miles in

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rear, and it is probable that to-morrow I may have to fight whatever force the King has been able to collect to resist my advance. Further details of my position are given in the Despatch

which accompanies this.

Fourth Column.—The last report from Captain Dalrymple is dated 25th instant from Kotakee; he had arrived there on the 24th with King Apecoon and about 50 men; King Aquasi Bedoo was there with no men; Kroo of Commendah had gone home; Buarbin and Atrew were still at Damun on pretence of collecting their men.

Captain Dalrymple, though he had used every effort to influence the kings, was of opinion that he would be fortunate if he should succeed in

crossing the frontier with 200 men.

I have, &c.,

(Signed)

· SIR,

G. J. WOLSELEY,

Major-General.

Head-Quarters, Camp, Insarfu, January 30, 1874.

IN continuation of my Despatch of 25th instant, I have the honour to inform you that the troops forming the column under my immediate command had advanced to the following positions:—

On the Dunsaboo river, about two and a quarter miles beyond this place, is the advanced guard, under Colonel McLeod, consisting of Wood's and Russell's Regiments, and two Rocket Detachments

My own Head-Quarters, the Brigade Staff, the 42nd Regiments, and 2nd Battalion Rifle Brigade, with Rait's Artillery, two 7-pounder rifled guns, and two rocket detachments, are here at Insarfu.

Between this and Ahkankuassie, two and threequarter miles in rear, are the Naval Brigade, Head-Quarters and detachment, 2nd Battalion, 23rd Regiment, Head-Quarters and detachment 2nd West India Regiment, the Small-Arm Ammunition Reserve, and Field Hospitals.

At Foomanah, to move forward to-morrow, is a

detachment of the 1st West India Regiment.

The following fortified posts have been established and garrisoned on my line of communication with Prahsu: — Essiaman, Accrofoomu, Cross Roads, north of Parakoom River, Moinsey, crest of Adansi Hills, Foomanah, Ahkankuassie, and Insarfu.

Although I have used every possible effort, and neglected no means which I could devise to bring about a peaceable solution of the negotiations with the King of Ashanti, I regret that he appears to be determined to resist my further advance on Coomassie.

After I had, on 25th instant, given due warning to the King of Adansi, whom I knew to be on my left flank, that I could not allow his troops to collect there, I ordered a reconnaissance to be made on the 26th, towards the village of Adubiassie, a little to the north-west of Foomanah, which resulted in the capture of the village, two Ashantis being killed, and two captured, without casualty on our side, though the reconnoitring party was opposed by about 200 arms d men.

Yesterday, having received information that a considerable body of the enemy was assembled at Borumassie (about six miles west of Kiang Boassu), I ordered a reconnaissance to be made to be made to that village. This reconnaissance, which was commanded by Colonel McLeod, was entirely successful. A body of several hundreds of Ashantis was surprised, and driven out of the village with considerable loss. Fifty-three stand of arms and twelve kegs of powder were de-

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stroyed, and several prisoners taken. I have received Colonel McLeod's report, and regret that he has to announce the loss of Captain James Nicol, Adjutant of the Hampshire Militia, who was killed while commanding a company of Russell's Regiment. Our casualties were few,* and I am glad to note that the expenditure of ammunition was small, which shows the steadiness of the troops.

The intelligence report, which I have the honour to forward in despatch, will inform you that the enemy are known to be in position near the villages of Amoaful and Becquah. I intend to

attack them to-morrow.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) G. J. WOLSELEY.
Major-General.

At the Court at Windsor, the 2nd day of March, 1874.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint the Lord President of the Council, the Right Honourable Benjamin Disraeli, the Most Honourable the Marquess of Salisbury, the Secretaries of State for the Home and War Departments, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, the First Lord of the Admiralty, the President of the Local Government Beard, and the Right Honourable Viscount Sandon (Vice-President) to be a Committee of Council on Education.

^{*}Naval Brigade.—Killed, 1 Fantee Carrier; Wounded, 3 Perty Officers, 1 Royal Marine. Russell's Regiment.—Killed, 1 Officer, 1 Private; Wounded, 3 Privates.

At the Court at Windsor, the 2nd day of March, 1874.

HER Majesty having been graciously pleased to deliver the custody of the Scals of the Duchy and County Palatine of Lancaster to the Right Honourable Thomas Edward Taylor, the oath of Chancellor of the Duchy of Lancaster was, this day, by Her Majesty's command, administered to him accordingly.

St. James's Palace, March 2, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Elizabeth, Duchess of Wellington, to be Mistress of the Robes, in the room of Anne, Duchess of Sutherland (Countess of Cromartie), resigned.

St. James's Palace, March 2, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Francis Hugh George, Marquis of Hertford, to be Lord Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household, in the room of John Robert, Viscount Sydney, G.C.B., resigned.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint George William, Viscount Barrington, to be Vice-Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household, in the room of Richard de Aquila Grosvenor (commonly called

Lord Richard Grosvenor), resigned.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William Alleyne, Marquis of Exeter, to be Captain of Her Majesty's Honourable Corps of Gentlemen-at-Arms, in the room of Henry Edward, Earl of

Ilchester, resigned.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Edward, Lord Skelmersdale, to be Captain of Her Majesty's Guard of Yeomen of the Guard, in the room of William Amelius Aubrey de Vere, Duke of St. Albans, resigned.

St. James's Palace, March 2, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint to be Lords in Waiting in Ordinary to Her Majesty:—
Charles Adolphus, Earl of Dunmore, in the room of Gavin, Earl of Breadalbane, resigned.

Robert, Earl of Roden, in the room of Valentine Augustus, Earl of Kenmare, resigned.

Cornwallis, Viscount Hawarden, in the room of Albert Edmund, Earl of Morley, resigned.

William, Lord Bagot, in the room of Thomas, Lord Camoys, resigned.

Dudley Charles, Lord De Ros, in the room of

Charles, Lord Lurgan, resigned.

William Buller Fullerton, Lord Elphinstone, in the room of Frederick Henry Paul, Lord Methuen, resigned.

Thomas, Lord Walsingham, in the room of

Arthur, Lord Wrottesley, resigned.

Board of Green Cloth, March 2, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Frederick, Earl Beauchamp, to be Lord Steward of Her Majesty's Household, in the room of the Right Honourable John George Brabazon, Earl of Bessborough, resigned.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint the Honourable Henry George Percy (commonly called Earl Percy) to be Treasurer of Her Majesty's Household, in the room of the Right Honourable William John, Lord Monson, resigned.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint the Honourable Henry Richard Charles Somerset (commonly called Lord Henry Somerset) to be Comptroller of Her Majesty's Household, in the room of the Right Honourable Otho Augustus

Fitzgerald (commonly called Lord Otho Fitzgerald), resigned.

Whitehall, February 26, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to grant the office of Her Majesty's Advocate for Scotland to Edward Strathearn Gordon, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel, Dean of the Faculty of Advocates.

Whitehall, February 28, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of an Earl of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable John Robert, Viscount Sydney, G.C.B., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Earl Sydney, of Scadbury, in the county of Kent.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Viscount of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable Edward Cardwell, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Viscount Cardwell, of Ellerbeck, in

the county palatine of Lancaster.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland to the undermentioned persons, and the respective heirs male of their bodies lawfully begotten:—

The Right Honourable Chichester Samuel Parkinson-Fortescue, by the name, style, and title of Baron Carlingford, of Carlingford, in

the county of Louth.

The Right Honourable Sir Thomas Francis Fremantle, Bart., by the name, style, and title of Baron Cottesloe, of Swanbourne, and of Hardwick, in the county of Buckingham.

The Right Honourable Edmund Hammond, by the name, style, and title of Baron Hammond, of Kirkella, in the town and county of the town of Kingston-upon-Hull.

Whitehall, March 2, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the undermentioned persons, and the respective heirs male of their bodies lawfully begotten; namely:—Sir Charles Edward Trevelyan, of Grosvenor-

Sir Charles Edward Trevelyan, of Grosvenorcrescent, in the parish of Saint George, Hanover-square, in the county of Middlesex,

K.C.B.

Harry Stephen Thompson, of Kirby Hall, in the parish of Ouseburn Parva, in the West Riding of the county of York, Esq.

Mathew Wilson, of Eshton Hall, in the parish of Gargrave, in the West Riding of the

county of York, Esq.

Charles Forster, of Lysways, in the parish of Longdon, in the county of Stafford, Esq.

Thomas Fraser Grove, of Ferne House, in the parish of Donhead Saint Andrew, in the

county of Wilts, Esq.

George Burrows, of Cavendish-square, in the county of Middlesex, and of Springfield, in the Isle of Wight, M.D., President of the Royal College of Physicians of London, and one of Her Majesty's Physicians in Ordinary.

Thomas McClure, of Belmont and of Dundela,

in the county of Down, Esq.

John Heathcoat Heathcoat-Amory, of Knightshayes Court, in the parish of Tiverton, in the county of Devon, Esq.

Richard Green-Price, of Norton Manor, in the parish of Norton, in the county of Radnor,

Esq.

William Miller, of Manderston, in the county of Berwick, Esq.

Foreign Office, February 13, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint George de Jong Beyts, Esq., to be Her Majesty's Consul at Jeddah.

Downing Street, February 28, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint William John Anderson, Esq., to be Judge for the Turk's Islands.

Whitehall, February 28, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto John Heathcoat Amory, of Knightshayes Court, in the parish of Tiverton, in the county of Devon, Esquire, Representative in Parliament for the borough of Tiverton, in the Commission of the Peace, and a Deputy Lieutenant for the said county of Devon, only son and heir of Samuel Amory, late of Portland-place, in the parish of St. George, Hanover-square, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, by Anne, his wife, second daughter and co-heir of John Heathcoat, late of Bolham, in the parish of Tiverton aforesaid, Esquire, sometime Representative in Parliament for the said borough of Tiverton, all deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his

issue may take and henceforth use the surname of Heathcoat in addition to and before that of Amory, and that he and they may bear the arms of Heathcoat quarterly with those of Amory; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

Admiralty, 27th February, 1874.

John Thomas Gowlland, Esq., has been this day promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 23rd February, 1874.

Admiralty, 28th February, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 21st February, 1874—

William Henry Sloggett, Esq., has been promoted to the rank of Dcputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority from that date.

Admiralty, 2nd March, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, and 4th August, 1873—

Captain Joseph Samuel Hudson has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 1st October last.

India Office, 28th February, 1874. HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following transfer to the Half-pay List of the Bombay Staff Corps:—

Captain George Bramwell. Dated 1st March, 1874.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Sussex.

The Right Honourable Reginald Windsor, Earl De La Warr, Baron Buckhurst, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1 th February, 1874.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 6, 1874.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, March 6, 1874.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the Presentation of Mrs. Johnson at Her Majesty's Drawing Room on Thursday, the 26th of February last, took place through inadvertence.

War Office, March 6, 1874.

THE Secretary of State for War has received a Despatch and Enclosure, of which the following are copies, from Major-General Sir Garnet Joseph Wolseley, K.C.M.G., C.B., Commanding the Troops on the Gold Coast:—

Head Quarters, Amoaful, February 1, 1874.

ACCORDING to the intention expressed in my despatch of 30th ultimo, I yesterday attacked

SIR.

the enemy to the south of this town, and drove them with heavy loss from the position they had selected to fight upon, and where I now find that the King of Ashanti had been for some time

collecting his army.

My whole force, divided into four columns, as per margin,* advanced along the main road, preceded by the scouts, until the enemy were met at the village of Egginassie, which was carried by a rush of the scouts at about 8 A.M. The front column then extended into the thick bush on each side of the road, which was cut and widened by labourers under the Royal Engineers, so as to admit of the advance of the guns.

As the leading column advanced northward the left column, according to orders previously issued, cut a path diagonally to the left front, with a view of protecting the left flank of the front column; and as it moved along this path, the right column closing up, cut a path diagonally to the right to protect the right flank, while the rear column extended, so as to gain touch of the right and left columns which were designed to follow the flanks of the front column, and should it be outflanked, to face east and west outwards. My intention was to fight in the form of a square, and so

Left Column.—Colonel J. C. McLeod, C.B.—Naval Bri gade, Right Wing; Russell's Regiment; Rait's Artillery, two Rocket detachments; Royal Engineers, Detachment.

Front Column.—Brigadier General Sir A. Alison, Bart., C.B.—42nd Highlanders; Head Quarters, and detachment 2nd Battalion 23rd Royal Welsh Fusiliers; Rait's Artillery, two 7-pr. guns, detachment; Royal Engineers, Detachment.

Right Column.—Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. Wood, V.C.
—Naval Brigade, Left Wing; Wood's Regiment; Rait's
Artillery, two Rocket detachments; Royal Engineers, Detachment.

Rear Column.—Lieutenant-Colonel A. F. Warren—2nd Battalion Rifle Brigade.

oppose the invariable flanking tactics of the enemy, which their superior numbers would probably allow them to carry out against any line which I could form.

The front column, under Sir A. Alison, found the enemy in great force beyond a swampy stream to the north of Egginassie (see sketch*) and suffered heavily in dislodging them. They were driven out by the steady advance of the infantry, aided by the fire of Rait's guns. The large numbers of dead Ashantis at this part of the field, and the numbers of the 42nd Highlanders here wounded, showed the stubborn resistance made by the enemy. The 42nd Highlanders finally advanced and captured the town of Amoaful about noon, after being more than four hours in action.

Meanwhile the left column advancing under a heavy fire by which Captain Buckle, R.E., was killed while urging on his labourers, occupied the crest of a hill where a clearing was made, and the enemy driven away from this portion of their camp by an advance of the Naval Brigade and Russell's Regiment. Colonel McLeod having cleared his front and having lost touch of the left of the front column, now cut his way in a northeasterly direction and came into the main road in rear of the Highlanders, about the same hour that the advance occupied Amoaful. I protected his left rear by a detachment of the Rifle Brigade; our left flank was now apparently clear of the enemy.

On the right Lieu!enant-Colonel Wood was met

^{*} The sketch to accompany this dispatch will be forwarded as soon as possible. It would have been sent with this, but the officer who surveyed the ground has been incessantly on active duty since the action, and it has been impossible for him to complete the sketch.

by a fire which prevented the advance of his column for more than a very short distance into the bush, consequently when the front column took Amoaful it would have become detached from the right column, but that communication was kept up along the main road by two companies of the 42nd, the head-quarters and detachment 23rd, and a company of the Rifle Brigade. Long after Amoaful was taken the Ashantis kept up a heavy fire on the right of the main road, and these troops laid down and replied to it, repelling the enemy, but not without loss.

Up to 1.30 P.M., the enemy kept up a very heavy fire on Lieutenant-Colonel Wood's column, whose right was extended into the bush, east of the village of Egginassie. But they made no progress, and soon after half-past one, an advance of the Kossoos and Bonny men of Wood's Regiment drove them away, clearing the flank of the Naval Brigade, and enabling them to complete the discomfiture of the enemy on this flank. By 1.45 P.M.

firing had ceased.

At this time heavy firing was heard in rear, and I learnt that another body of the enemy had attacked my entrenched post at Quarman. I sent back part of the Rifle Brigade; but the attack was continued till nightfall, though of course repulsed. Shortly before dark, a large convoy of baggage, which had been parked at Insarfu during the action, and was now ordered on, was fired upon, though accompanied by a large escort. A number of carriers throw down their loads and ran away, and had it not been for the great exertions of Lieutenant-Colonel Colley, whom I have placed in charge of my time of communications, and who recovered much of the baggage during the night, more serious consequences might have ensued than the loss of a

few loads which occurred. On learning of this affair, I took immediate steps for clearing my line of communications, and brought in large convoys this morning in perfect safety to Amoaful. The officers commanding the columns as above-named performed their difficult tasks most excellently, and were efficiently aided by their staff; Lieutenant-Colonel Evelyn Wood, V.C., was wounded

while at the head of his troops.

Nothing could have exceeded the admirable conduct of the 42nd Highlanders, on whom fell the hardest share of the work. As Colonel McLeod was in command of the left column, this Regiment was led by Major Macpherson, who was twice wounded. The two wings of the Naval Brigade, under command of Captain Grubbe, R.N. (severely wounded), and Commander Luxmore, R.N.; the Head-Quarters and Detachment of the 2nd Battalion 23rd Royal Welsh Fusiliers, under Lieutenant-Colonel Mostyn; the 2nd Battalion Rifle Brigade, under Lieutenant-Colonel Warren; Wood's Regiment, under Captain Furse (42nd Highlanders); Russell's Regiment, under Major Russell (13th Hussars), and the scouts under Lieutenant Lord Gifford (24th Regiment), all behaved steadily and coolly under the trying conditions of a fight in dense bush. Sir A. Alison has brought the valuable services of Captain Rait and his Artillery specially to my notice; and Major Home, Commanding Royal Engineers, led the advanced working party of the front column, being slightly wounded in so doing.

Commodore Hewett, V.C., R.N., was present with me during the action, and placed his services at my disposal. I received every possible assistance from him, and from the following Officers of my Staff:—Colonel Greaves, Chief of the Staff; Major Baker, 18th Regiment, Assistant Adjutant-

General; Captain H. Brackenbury, R.A., Assistant Military Secretary; Captain Buller, 60th Rifles, D.A.Q.M.G.; Lieutenant Rolfe, R.N., Naval A.D.C.; Lieutenant the Honourable H. Wood, 10th Hussars, A.D.C.; Lieutenant Maurice, R.A., Private Secretary.

The arrangements for the wounded by Surgeon-Major McKinnon, C.B., Principal Medical Officer, were excellent, and I regret that the enclosed return of casualties shows that his duties were

not light.

It is difficult to estimate the numbers of an enemy in thick bush, still more difficult to estimate their loss, but the Ashantis opposed to us must have numbered many thousands; and as we have buried about 150 corpses beside the main road only, and as the enemy ran great risks to carry off their dead, their loss in killed and wounded must have been very heavy.

I intend to-day to attack Becquah, which the

scouts report occupied by the enemy.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) G. J. WOLSELEY,
Major-General.

The Right Honourable the Secretary of State for War.

Army Head Quarters, Amoaful, February 1, 1874.

NOMINAL RETURN of Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men, Killed and Wounded in Action, at Amouful, on 31st January, 1874.

Officers Killed.

Royul Engineers.

Captain R. N. Buckle, gunshot wound through lung and heart and abdomen (penetrating).

Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Killed.

42nd Highlanders.

2019 Private Thomas Thompson, gunshot wound through head.

332 Private P. Reid, gunshot wound through

heart.

Wood's Regiment.

Private Salyah (Kossoo), gunshot wound of brain.

Officers Wounded.

Royal Engineers

Major R. Home, gunshot wound of chin; slight.

23rd Regiment.

Lieutenant G. H. Hutton, gunshot wound of right side; severe.

42nd Highlanders.

Major D. Macpherson, gunshot wound through right leg, severe; ditto right side of neck, slight.

Brevet Major W. Baird, gunshot wound of left thigh, dangerous; ditto of right leg, severe;

ditto of right forearm and back, slight.

Captain E. Whitehead, guashot wound of left thigh (contusion); slight.

Captain A. M. Creagh, gunshot wound of scalp and right side of neck (contusion); slight.

Lieutenant G. B. M. Cumberland, gunshot wound of right arm; severe.

Lieutenant A. S. Stevenson, gunshot wound of neck; slight.

Lieutenant W. A. Berwick, gunshot wound of right leg and ankle; severe.

Lieutenant W. H. C. Mowbray, gunshot wound of left temple and contusion right arm; slight.

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79th Regiment attached to 42nd Highlanders.

Lieutenant R. C. Annesley, gunshot wound of left thigh (contusion); slight.

2nd Battalion Rifle Brigade.

Major A. Stephens, gunshot wound of wrist; slight.

Lieutenant C D. Sherston, gunshot wound of

right arm with fracture; very severe.

Lieutenant W. J. Smyth, gunshot wound of thigh; slight.

Wood's Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel Evelyn Wood, V.C., 90th Regiment, gunshot wound of left side of chest; slight.

Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Wounded.

Royal Engineers.

11601 Sapper H. Rowe, gunshot wound of left hand; slight.

9481 Sapper J. Law, gunshot wound of thigh;

severe.

9620 Sapper William Little, gunshot wound of chest (penetrating); dangerous.

1165 Sapper J. Voss, gunshot wound of chin; slight.

2nd Battalion, 23rd Regiment.

2083 Private A. Goodwin, gunshot wound of shoulder; severe.

1013 Private J. Torish, gunshot wound of head and neck; dangerous.

62 Private J. North, gunshot wound of hip; severe.

42nd Highlanders.

2854 Serjeant - Major John Barclay, gunshot wound of right chest; dangerous.

305 Private A. Finlayson, gunshot wound of left leg; severe.

131 Private William Younger, gunshot wound of left ear; slight.

526 Serjeant Peter Gavins, gunshot wound of right arm; severe.

154 Private W. Bell, gunshot wound of left arm; severe (amputation).

144 Private J. Robertson, gunshot wound of left lower jaw; dangerous.

1466 Private D. Ross, gunshot wound of left side of face; slight.

- 8 Private George Samuel, gunshot wound of left clavicle and abdomen; severe, since dead.
- 1801 Private J. Pillmer, gunshot wound of left forearm, with fracture; severe.
- 4321 Colour-Serjeant J. M'Lean, gunshot wound of right orbit; severe.
 - 326 Private J. Hutchison, gunshot wound of left arm and left side of neck; slight.
- 2237 Private William Lorrimer, gunshot wound of nose; slight.
- 1940 Private T. Scrimgour, gunshot wound of chin and left side of face; slight.
 - 158 Private T. McKenzie, gunshot wound of left arm and right ear; slight.
 - 559 Private J. Balfour, gunshot wound of left ear; slight.
 - 941 Serjeant George Gordon, gunshot wound of right hip; slight.
 - 120 Private H. Jones, gunshot wound of right side of face; slight.

892 Private J. Sharpless, gunshot wound of left first finger; slight.

128 Private J. Butler, gunshot wound of right ear; slight. T 2

2039 Private William Shiel, gunshot wound of scalp; slight.

576 Private William Hains, gunshot wound of

right fore-arm; slight.

1741 Private J. Smith, gunshot wound of left fore-arm; slight.

103 Private J. Walker, gunshot wound of right

thigh; severe.

1808 Private J. Aurther, gunshot wound of right hand and right side of neck; severe.

2101 Private D. M'Lelland, gunshot wound of

right thigh; severe.

591 Private J. Dewer, gunshot wound of left fore-arm; slight.

2071 Private D. Strong, gunshot wound of face

and right hip; slight.

2004 Private William Smith, gunshot wound of abdomen; severe.

201 Private M. Lynch, gunshot wound of left

ear; slight.

1534 Private J. White, gunshot wound of right fore-arm and shoulder; slight.

210 Private J. Liddle, gunshot wound of

right shoulder; severe.

1966 Private J. Seaton, gunshot wound of left scapula; slight.

1187 Private J. Wotherspoon, gunshot wound of

back; slight.
1920 Private C. Brown, gunshot wound of eliest; slight.

2011 Private C. Armstrong, gunshot wound of right shoulder; slight.

156 Private C. Campbell, gunshot wound of left hand; slight.

2222 Private R. M'Lennon, gunshot wound of left side of neck; slight.

199 Private J. Chancellor, gunshot wound of left side of neck; slight.

1185 Private J. Fraser, gunshot wound of left thigh; severe.

1616 Private J. Tevendale, gunshot wound of left arm; severe.

1482 Private J. McKay, gunshot wound of left arm; severe.

1683 Private H. Milne, gunshot wound of left orbit; slight.

106 Private G. Jamieson, gunshot wound of left leg; slight.

1915 Private J. Bain, gunshot wound of right fore-arm; severe.

1610 Private C. Buchan, gunshot wound of back; slight.

2175 Private A. Hodge, gunshot wound of forehead; slight.

2015 Private J. Davis, gunshot wound of left side of face; slight.

571 Private J. Matthews, gunshot wound of left forearm; severe.

2166 Private J. McFarlane, gunshot wound of left arm; severe.

653 Serjeant J. Cornfoot, gunshot wound of

right thigh; severe.

1961 Private J. Collins, gunshot wound of left temple; slight.

· 206 Private A. Drummond, gunshot wound of

left fore-arm; slight.

105 Private J. Hutchison, gunshot wound of right thigh; severe.

2100 Private A. Falconer, gunshot wound of left fore-arm; severe.

111 Private G. Ross, gunshot wound of right

thigh; slight.

1766 Private R. Steward, gunshot wound of left leg; slight.

1795 Private A. McPhail, gunshot wound of left eye; severe.

1955 Private A. Bruce, gunshot wound of left fore-arm with injury of bones; severe.

1657 Private J. Love, gunshot wound of chest

(penetrating); dangerous.

1926 Private J. Thompson, gunshot wound of left side of chest (penetrating); dangerous.

400 Private M. Bennett, gunshot wound of right arm with fracture; very severe.

1494 Corporal J. C. Ayton, gunshot wound of right side of chest (penetrating); dangerous.

2161 Private W. McLaughlan, gunshot wound of right shoulder and back; slight.

107 Private O. Kirkwood, gunshot wound of left orbit; slight.

1976 Private J. Crow, gunshot wound of scalp; slight.

269 Serjeant W. Street, gunshot wound of thigh; slight.

1905 Private C. Warren, gunshot wound of left side of face; slight.

2005 Private W. Graham, gunshot wound of left side of neck; slight.

2159 Private W. Blyth, gunshot wound of left side of face; slight.

134 Private T. Pickard, gunshot wound of right leg; slight.

1747 Private R. Stewart, gunshot wound of forehead; slight.

1882 Private W. Nichol, gunshot wound of right arm and right eye; slight.

212 Private J. Hunter, gunshot wound of chin; slight.

3454 Serjeant J. Butters, gunshot wound of left hip; slight.

132 Private M. Cowan, gunshot wound of scalp; slight.

125 Private J. Wallace, gunshot wound of left hip and left jaw, (contusion); slight.

1715 Private D. Hogg, gunshot wound of back; slight.

129 P. Smith, gunshot wound of right leg;

slight.

1502 J. Salmond, gunshot wound of abdomen (contusion); slight.

7 Piper D. McQueen, gunshot wound of right

side (contusion); slight.

215 Private A. Selford, gunshot wound of right side of chest (contusion); slight.

147 Private C. Lamond, gunshot wound of left

forearm (contusion); slight.

476 Corporal T. Milne, gunshot wound of left shoulder and right arm (contusion); slight.

921 Serjeant H. Barton, gunshot wound of

nose; slight.

753 Private A McLaughlin, gunshot wound of left side of neck; slight.

1422 Private J. Edwards, gunshot wound of left arm (contusion); slight.

54 Private A. Graham, gunshot wound of left

thigh (contusion); slight.

1561 Private George Ritchie, gunshot wound of right thigh and contusion of left side of chest; slight.

1855 Private G. Smith, gunshot wound of middle

finger, left hand; slight.

209 Private J. Cameron, gunshot wound of left thigh (contusion); slight.

108 Private R. McDonald, gunshot wound of

left arm; slight.

122 Private William Anderson, gunshot wound of right thigh and lip; slight.

63 Private H. Grant, gunshot wound of right

shoulder (contusion); slight.

1761 Private A. M'Lean, gunshot wound of right chest (contusion); slight.

1101 Corporal W. Murray, gunshot wound of left eye (contusion); slight.

1886 Private J. May, gunshot wound of left arm

(contusion); slight.

1419 Serjeant A. Dunbar, gunshot wound of neck (contusion); slight.

1756 Serjeant J. Young, gunshot wound of left shoulder (contusion); slight.

1866 Private J. Thompson, gunshot wound of left index finger; slight

135 Private R. Scott, gunshot wound of right arm; slight.

141 Corporal S. McGaw, gunshot wound of right index finger; slight.

104 Private M. M'Gregor, gunshot wound of left shoulder (contusion); slight.

2154 Private J. Arnott, gunshot wound of neck (contusion); slight.

203 Private William Armstrong, gunshot wound of left elbow; slight.

2nd Battallion Rifle Brigade.

Private William Henton, gunshot wound of shoulder; severe.

Private James Richards, gunshot wound of head and neck; very severe.

Private F. Davis, gunshot wound of shoulder;

slight.

Private Thomas Pilcher, gunshot wound of forearm; severe.

Private Thomas Oud, gunshot wound of forearm; slight.

Serjeant William Bartlett, gunshot wound of chest (non-penetrating); severe.

Rait's Artillery.

Gunner Mama Sheriffe, gunshot wound of right arm: severe.

Wood's Regiment.

Private Quashie Boosomachie, gunshot wound of left leg; slight.

Private Midjena Acquah, gunshot wound of left

temple; slight.

Private Sambo Derami, gunshot wound of right temple and left middle finger; slight.

Private Etallamena, gunshot wound of left lower

jaw; severe.

Private Bombotmo, gunshot wound of left forearm; slight.

Private Aboobokey, gunshot wound of left thigh;

severe.

Russell's Regiment.

Private David Jones, gunshot wound of left hip; slight.

Corporal Jatla Afoo, gunshot wound of forehead;

slight.

Lance Corporal John Glover, gunshot wound of left forearm; severe.

Private Dardee, gunshot wound of left hip; severe.

Private Serana Kernikie, gunshot wound of right shoulder; slight.

Private Daodoo Asheri, gunshot wound of left side of face; severe.

Private Mamadoo Basumferi, gunshot wound of left side of neck; severe.

Private Moussa Kennoo, gunshot wound of left eyebrow; slight.

Private Mumma Damaderi, gunshot wound of right side of jaw; slight.

Private Attah Kirde, gunshot wound of left thigh; severe.

Private Ali Kernikie, gunshot wound of left shoulder; severe.

Private Mamadoo Gouran, gunshot wound of left side of face; severe.

Private Ali Bagagigi, gunshot wound of right forearm; slight.

Private Brahno Loudi, gunshot wound of right

shoulder; slight.

Private Abdul Adaoli, gunshot wound of rightle foot; slight.

Private Abodooleifa, gunshot wound of right

hand; slight.

Private Moussa Afoo, gunshot wound of right

thigh; slight.

In addition to above, six of Lord Gifford's scouts were wounded; one severely, and five slightly.

W. A. MACKINNON, Surgeon-Major,

Principal Medical Officer.

N.B.—For wounded Officers and Men of Naval Brigade, see Naval Despatch below.

Admiralty, March 5, 1874.

THE accompanying Despatch has been received from Commodore W. N. Hewett, V.C.:—

Head Quarters, Agimmamu, 15 miles from Coomassie, 10 p.m., February 2, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to request you will inform the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty that since I despatched my letter of the 29th of January, the Naval Brigade, in conjunction with the rest of the troops, has been hotly engaged with the enemy on three separate occasions.

2. On our arrival at Detchiasu, on the morning of the 29th ult., Wood's and Russell's Regiments, with the Naval Brigade and 23rd Fusiliers, under the command of Colonel M'Leod, 42nd Highlanders, were ordered to advance four miles into the bush to the village of Borumassie, and attack

it, with the object of driving out the King of Adansi, who, with a large force, was occupying a strong position on our flank. After a sharp engagement the enemy were eventually dislodged, although not without some loss on our side, of which the only particulars I am able to give you are that four men of the Naval Brigade were wounded, two severely and two slightly.

3. On the evening of the 30th of January our troops and carriers were massed at Insarfu, and early on the following morning they advanced in four columns to attack a strong force of the enemy, who had established themselves a short distance

south of Amoaful.

4. Without attempting to give the details of the General's plan of operations, I will endeavour to afford such particulars as will enable their Lordships to gain some idea of the position occupied by the Naval Brigade during the engagement.

5. The first encounter took place at 8 A.M., when the village of Egginassie, about a mile from Amoaful, was carried by a rush of the scouts under

Lord Gifford.

6. The Naval Brigade was divided into two wings, one, under Captain Walter James H. Grubbe, of Her Majesty's ship "Tamar," being attached to the left column, and the other, under Acting Captain Percy P. Luxmore, of Her Majesty's ship "Druid," to the right.

7. On the advance being made the right and left columns were ordered to cut paths at right angles to the main road, for a distance of 300 yards into the bush, and then to form upon the flanks of the 42nd Regiment, who, in the front column, were making their way through the thick bush on either side of the road.

8. The enemy's centre was at Amoaful, and throwing out two columns towards us in a diagonal direction, they formed, as it were, a broad arrow with the main path, in which order they received our attack.

9. After suffering very heavy losses the 42nd Highlanders eventually captured the town at 1.45

p.m.

- 10. I have great pleasure in acquainting their Lordships with the steady behaviour of the Naval Brigade. During a very trying time they showed the greatest coolness, and, advancing slowly under a continuous and heavy fire, steadily drove back the enemy until three o'clock, when they forced them to make a precipitate retreat, and the day was ours.
- 11. Although it is quite impossible to give even an approximate estimate of the strength of the enemy opposed to us, I should say, from the number of Ashantee corpses we have taken from the road side and buried, there must have been several thousands of them.
- 12. On the baggage being moved up from Insarfu towards the evening, the guard protecting it was attacked, and some of the carriers, dropping their loads, ran away. Nearly all of it was, however, afterwards recovered, and Sir Garnet has since successfully established a line of communication with his rear.
- 13. On Sunday the Naval Brigade were sent on to a place called Becquah (Baquah?) three miles from Amoaful, where they attacked a large number of Ashantees, and drove them back with considerable loss.
- 14. On Monday, February 2, we came in here, and to-morrow, at daylight, we are to advance ten miles further, without baggage. This will take us within about five miles of Coomassie.
- 15. There has been some desultory fighting during the day, in which the Naval Brigade were not engaged.

16. Enclosed is a return of casualties, which does not include the losses suffered by the regiments which, I regret to say, in the case of the 42nd were very heavy.

17. Their Lordships will observe that a very

stubborn resistance was offered to us.

(Signed) W. N. HEWETT,

Commodore.

The Secretary of the Admiralty.

The Camp, Royal Naval Brigade, Amoaful, February 1, 1874.

A NOMINAL LIST of Killed and Wounded Officers, Petty Officers, Seamen, and Marines, belonging to the Royal Naval Brigade, at Borumassie, on the 29th of January, 1874; at Amoaful, on the 31st of January, and Becquah, on the 1st of February:—

AT BORUMASSIE.

Pet/y Officers, Seamen, and Marines Wounded. Her Majesty's Ship "Active."

Leading Seaman George Peavitt, left breast; very severe.

Gunner's Mate John Smith, right temple; very severe.

Her Majesty's Ship " Argus."

Boatswain's Mate Thomas Wilson, left leg; slight.

Private William B. Truelove, right hand; slight.

AT AMOAFUL.

Officers Wounded.

Her Majesty's Ship " Tamar."

Captain W. J. H. Grubbe, left hand; very severely.

Her Mojesty's Ship "Barracouta." Lieutenant Angus M'Leod, abdomen; slightly.

Her Majesty's Ship "Active."

Acting Lieutenant G. R. Maltby, chest; slightly. Sub-Lieutenant Robert L. Mundy, head; very dangerously.

Sub-Lieutenant Wyatt Rawson, thigh; severely.

Her Majesty's Ship "Amethyst."
Midshipman Charles G. May, neck; slightly.

Petty Officers, Scamen, and Marines Wounded.

Her Majesty's Ship " Active."

Captain of the Foretop Thomas Blake, left shoulder; very severely.

Captain of the Maintop William Elkes, right

thigh; very severely.

Boatswain's Mate James Wilson, face; slightly. Commodore's Domestic William Coleman, right thigh; severely.

Her Majesty's Ship "Druid."

Signalman Francis Watson, chest; very dangerously, penetrating.

A.B. John Murphy, face; slightly.

Her Majesty's Ship "Encounter."

Captain of the Maintop James Jones, left thigh; very severely.

A.B. J. F. Lemm, left arm; very severely.

A.B. Joseph Murphy, two penetrating wounds of chest; very dangerously.

A.B. Joe Barnes, right chest penetrating; very dangerously.

A.B. Henry Darling, right arm; slightly.

Her Majesty's Ship "Amethyst."

A.B. G. Alford, scrotum; dangerously. Captain's C. John Searce, left arm; severely. A.B. Edward Gilbert, neck; dangerously.

A.B. Denis Driscoc, head, right side; severely. A.B. William Daw, right side of face; severely.

Her Majesty's Ship "Argus."

Leading Seaman William Hart, right thigh; very severely.

A.B. R. Sykes, right arm; very severely. Boatswain's Mate W. Bunt, left arm; severely. A.B. Benjamin Vivian, right arm; slightly.

Her Majesty's Ship "Active."

Serjeant R.M.L.I. Timothy Walters, left leg; very severely.

Private William Avery, face and ncck; very severely.

Private D. Gavan, face; slightly.

Private Thomas Bavers, left shoulder; severely.

Her Majesty's Ship "Druid."

Private John Bell, face and neck; dangerously. Private James Sillence, left arm; severely.

AT BECQUAH.

Petty Officers, Seamen, and Marines Killed.

Her Majesty's Ship " Active."

A.B. William Taylor, heart.

Petty Officers Seamen, and Marines Wounded.

Her Majesty's Ship " Active."

Captain of Quarter-deck Mr. W. Allridge, left arm; very severely.

A.B. John Malegan, head and ear; severely.

Boatswain's Mate James Willson, right forearm; slightly.

(Signed) HENRY FEGAN, M.D., Staff Surgeon, 2nd Class, in Medical Charge.

At the Court at Windsor, the 2nd day of March, 1874.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased to declare the Most Noble James, Duke of Abercorn, K.G., Lieutenant-General and General Governor of that part of the United Kingdom called Ireland.

This day, the Most Honourable Francis Hugh George, Marquess of Hertford; Henry George Percy (commonly called Earl Percy); the Right Honourable Frederick, Earl Beauchamp; Henry Richard Charles Somerset (commonly called Lord Henry Somerset); the Right Honourable George William, Viscount Barrington; Dudley Francis Stuart Ryder (commonly called Viscount Sandon); the Right Honourable Edward, Lord Skelmersdale; Sir Michael Edward Hicks Beach, Baronet; Sir John Charles Dalrymple-Hay, Baronet; and George Sclater-Booth, Esquire, were, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took their places at the Board accordingly.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to direct that the Right Honourable Dudley Francis Stuart Ryder (commonly ealled Viseount Sandon) be appointed Viee-President of the Committee of Council on Education; and that the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, do prepare a warrant for Her Majesty's Royal signature accordingly, under the provisions of an Act

passed in the nineteenth and twentieth years of Her Majesty's reign, intituled "An Aet for the "appointment of a Vice-President of the Com-"mittee of Council on Education."

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Sir Charles Bowyer Adderley, K.C.M.G., President of the Committee

of Council for Trade.

Her Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint the Right Honourable George Sclater-Booth, President of the Local Government Board.

Privy Council Office, March 2, 1874.

This day, the oath of office of Lord Chamberlain was taken by the Most Honourable Francis Hugh George, Marquess of Hertford; the oath of office of Lord Steward by the Right Honourable Frederick, Earl Beauchamp; the oath of office of President of the Board of Trade by the Right Honourable Sir Charles Bowyer Adderley, K.C.M.G.; and the oath of office of President of the Loeal Government Board by the Right Honourable George Selater-Booth.

Master of the Horse's Office, Royal Mews, Pimlico, March 2, 1874.

Her Majesty has been graeiously pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Charles Philip, Earl of Hardwicke, to be Master of Her Majesty's Buckhounds, in the room of the Right Honourable Riehard Edmund St. Lawrence, Earl of Cork and Orrery, K.P., resigned.

St. James's Palace, March 2, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Donald 1874.

Cameron, Esq., of Lochhiel, M.P., to be one of the Grooms in Waiting in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of William, Lord Kensington, resigned.

Whitehall, March 4, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable Sir John Somerset Pakington, Bart., G.C.B., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Hampton, of Hampton Lovett, and of Westwood, in the county of Worcester.

Whitehall, March 4, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal constituting and appointing the Right Honourable Benjamin Disraeli; the Right Honourable Sir Stafford Henry Northcote, Bart.; Arthur Philip Henry Stanhope, Esq. (commonly called Viscount Mahon); Rowland Winn, Esq.; and Sir James Dalrymple Horn Elphinstone, Bart.; to be Commissioners for executing the Offices of Treasurer of the Exchequer of Great Britain, and Lord High Treasurer of Ircland.

Whitehall, March 4, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, constituting and appointing the Right Honourable George Ward Hunt; Admiral Sir Alexander Milne, G.C.B.; Vice-Admiral Sir John Walter Tarleton, K.C.B.; Richard James Meade, Esq.

(commonly called Lord Gilford), Captain R.N.; and Sir Lopes Massey Lopes, Bart., to be Her Majesty's Commissioners for executing the Office of Lord High Admiral of the said United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, and the Dominions, Islands, and Territories thereunto belonging.

Whitehall, March 4, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Peter Henry Edlin, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel, to be Assistant Judge of the Court of the Sessions of the Peace in and for the county of Middlesex, in the room of Sir William Henry Bodkin, resigned.

Downing Street, March 4, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Major Robert Miller Mundy to be Lieutenant-Governor of the Colony of British Honduras.

Foreign Office, March 3, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Henry James Bovell as Consul at St. Helena for His Majesty the King of Denmark.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Moses S. Boyle as Consul at Sierra Leone

for the Republic of Liberia.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. A. L. van den Bergh as Vice-Consul for Portsmouth and Southampton for His Majesty the Emperor of Austria.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. John M. Henderson as Vice-Consul at Amble

for the German Empire.

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Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, March 4, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Santiago, stating that by a Decree issued at that place on the 7th January last, the port of Buenos Ayres was declared to be "suspected" and interdicted.

Admiralty, 3rd March, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870 -

Lieutenant Ralston Caldwell Bloomfield has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Admiralty, 4th March, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Charles Edward Woulfe Haly Hutton has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

> War Office, Pall Mall, 6th March, 1874.

10th Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General Sir John Garvock, K.C.B., from the 89th Regiment, to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Sir Sydney John Cotton, G.C.B., deceased. Dated 20th February, 1874.

89th Regiment of Foot.

Major-General Caledon Richard Egerton to be Colonel, vice Lieutenant-General Sir John Garvock, K.C.B., appointed to the 10th Regiment. Dated 20th February, 1874.

FROM THE SUPPLEMENT

TO THE
LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 6,
1874.

War Office, March 7, 1874.

LIEUTENANT the Hon. H. J. L. Wood, 10th Hussars, A.D.C., arrived this morning with Despatches from Major-General Sir Garnet Joseph Wolseley, K.C.M.G., C.B., Commanding the Troops on the Gold Coast, addressed to the Secretary of State for War, of which the following are copies:—

Coomassie, 5th February, 1874.

ACCORDING to the intention expressed in my despatch which I had the honour of addressing to you on the 1st instant, I on that day attacked Becquah, about a mile to the west of Amoaful. The operation was successfully carried out under the command of Brigadier General Sir Archibald Alison, Bart., C.B. The forces engaged were as

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per margir,* and the casualties are shown in the enclosed statement.

On the day following I moved forward to Agemmum, the enemy disputing every mile of ground. There I established a fortified post, where

I left all my tents and baggage.

On the 3rd instant I moved forward again, the enemy in great force opposing our advance, and hanging round our flanks. Whilst on the march, I received a letter from the King, begging me to halt, and saying he would consent to my terms. I replied that he had so deceived me before that I could not trust him, but to prove to him how anxious I was for peace, I would halt for the night on the Ordah River, and would not advance beyond it with all my force until the following morning, if he would send to me at once his mother and brother as hostages.

During the night I had a bridge constructed over the river, and gave the enemy nearly two hours of daylight the tollowing morning (4th) before I

crossed the river.

The advanced guard, under the command of Colonel M'Leod, 42nd Highlanders, was brought to a stand-still shortly after the advance began; and a general action soon developed itself, lasting for more than six hours. The enemy did not, however, fight with the same courage as at Amoaful, for although their resistance was most determined, their fire was wild, and they did not generally attack us at such close quarters as in the former action.

The village of Ordalisu having been carried by the Rifle Brigade at nine o'clock, I massed all my

^{*} Royal Naval Brigade; Head Quarters and Detachement, 23rd Royal Welsh Fusiliers; 42nd Highlanders; Russell's Regiment; Rait's Artillery—one 7-pr. gun and one Rocket Detachment; Royal Engineer Detachment.

force there, having previously passed all the reserve ammunition, field hospitals, and supplies, through the troops, who held the road between the river and the village, a distance of about a mile. The enemy then attacked the village with large numbers from all sides, and for some hours we could make no progress, but steadily held our ground. The 42nd Highlanders being then sent to the front, advanced with pipes playing, and carried the enemy's position to the north of the village in the most gallant style, Captain Rait's Artillery doing most effective service in covering the attack, which was led by Colonel M'Leod.

After some further fighting on the front line, a panic seems to have seized the enemy, who fled along the road to Coomassie in complete rout. Although the columns they had detailed to assault our flanks and rear continued for some time afterwards to make partial attacks upon the village, we followed close upon the enemy's heels into Coomassie. The town was still occupied by large numbers of armed men, who did not attempt to resist. The King had fled no one knew whither. Our troops had undergone a most fatiguing day's works, no water fit for drinking having been obtained during the action or the subsequent advance, and the previous night's rest having been broken by a tornado, which drenched our bivouac. It was nearly six o'clock when the troops formed up in the main street of Coomassie and gave three cheers for the Queen.

Since my arrival here last night, I have sent several messengers to the King, and used every possible effort to induce him to come in and make peace. Should he refuse my offers, I shall destroy his palace and his capital, and march without a day's delay to the Coast.

I avail myself of this halt in Coomassie, the

goal of our military enterprise, to bring before you the names of those Officers who have rendered signal service in the operations so far concluded.

It has seldom been a General's good fortune to be assisted by a staff so thoroughly efficient in all branches, as has been that body of carefully selected Officers forming the Staff of this

expedition.

To my personal Staff I am deeply indebted for the manner in which they have performed their duties. Captain H. Brackenbury, my Assistant Military Secretary, a highly-educated Officer, has shown much practical ability in the field, and only requires opportunity for the development of great military talents.

Lieutenant Maurice, R.A., my Private Secretary, has carried on my correspondence with the Colonial Office, and I have brought his name to the notice of the Secretary of State for the Colonies. Both Captain Brackenbury and Lieutenant Maurice have been with me from the first,

and have worked indefatigably.

Of Colonel McNeill, who was my Chief of the Staff at the beginning of the war, I have already given my opinion in a previous despatch. His severe wound received in our first fight deprived His soldierlike me of his valuable services. qualities, his powers of mind and body render him an invaluable assistant to any General commanding From the date of his being wounded in October until the 17th December, the duties of Chief of the Staff were ably carried out to my entire satisfaction by Major Baker, the Assistant Adjutant-General, to whose untiring energy I owe much of the success that has attended all our operations. In my opinion he possesses every quality that is valuable in a Staff Officer.

Colonel Greaves assumed the duties of Chief

of the Staff on 17th December. His great knowledge of the Army, his experience as a Staff Officer, the zeal and ability he brings to bear upon his work mark him out as eminently qualified for the post he occupied. He has rendered me the most valuable service.

The topographical work was well carried out under Captain Huyshe, D.A.Q.M.G., whose death, at Prahsu, on the 19th December, deprived Her Majesty of a gallant soldier. The surveys were made by him, assisted by Captain Buller, 60th Rifles, Lieutenant A. F. Hart, 31st Regiment, and other officers. Lieutenant Hart made nearly

all the surveys north of the River Prah.

The duties of the Intelligence Department were most efficiently performed by Captain Buller, D.A.Q.M.G. He is an excellent Staff Officer, and I am much indebted to him for the information of the enemy's doings, that he supplied me with throughout the war. The extensive knowledge he acquired of the native tribes both in Ashanti, and in the territories allied to us, was invaluable to me in my dealings with the Kings and Chiefs.

The medical arrangements for the war were made by Dcputy Surgeon-General Home, V.C., C.B. I have in a previous despatch recorded my high appreciation of the ability and energy with which he carried out his duty up to the date of his being invalided, and of the efficient manner in which he prepared for the medical requirements of the troops in the advance upon Coomassic. The organisation planned by him was well carried out by Surgeon-Major Mackinnon, C.B., who joined me on the march at Acrofoomu, and who has since continued to perform the duties of Principal Medical Officer to my entire satisfaction. Of the Medical Officers employed I wish specially to bring

to your notice the services of Surgeons-Major Woolfreys, Mosse, Waters, Jackson, and Turton, and Staff-Surgeon Irwin, R.N., also of Surgeon G. W. M'Nalty, who has had charge of the Head Quarter Staff since we left Cape Coast Castle on our march to Coomassie.

The Control arrangements have been energetically carried out by Deputy-Controller Irvine, C.M.G., with his usual zeal. I cannot award him higher praise than by saying that the men were well fed, and their wants carefully provided for throughout the campaign. The transport, that at one time caused me serious anxiety, was effectually organised by Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Colley, 2nd Queen's Regiment. He was assisted by twenty - two Special Service Officers, and six officers of the Control Department. It was a happy circumstance that placed at my disposal the services of an officer of such well-known ability as Lieutenant-Colonel Colley. His great talent for organisation soon placed the transport upon a satisfactory footing. To him I confided sole charge of the line of communications. In a war like this it is absolutely necessary that the officer in command of the transport should also have charge of the line of communications. It was, therefore, necessary that these two most important duties should be discharged by a combatant officer.

Among the officers of the Control Department, all of whom have worked with much energy, I would wish especially to mention Commissary O'Connor and Deputy-Commissary Ravenscroft.

Throughout the second phase of the war I have received every possible assistance from Commodore Hewett, V.C., commanding the squadron on the African Station, who accompanied me on the march to Coomassie. I have had to make

incessant calls upon him for naval services, and in every instance my requests have been complied with. He kindly placed at my disposal a naval brigade, consisting of 17 officers and 265 selected men, whose services have been of the greatest value, and who all have fought throughout the campaign with the dashing courage for which Her Majesty's Seamen and Marines are so celebrated. When my transport difficulties were greatest, Commodore Hewett helped me most materially by supplying Kroomen to act as carriers, and he allowed no regulations to stand in the way of his exertions to secure the ultimate success of this war, in which he and those under his command have played a prominent part.

Captain Rait has been the Officer commanding the Royal Artillery throughout both phases of this war. He organized a Houssa battery in a most able manner. The officers, English non-commissioned officers, and gunners attached to it worked indefatigably. In all the actions and skirmishes the gun and rocket fire has been most effective, notwithstanding the difficulties of the ground on which we fought. I consider Captain Rait to be one of the best soldiers I have ever

served with.

In this force, where every white man has had hard work, and where especially previous to the arrival of the English troops, all the selected officers that I brought out with me, were untiring in their exertions, Major Home, the Commanding Royal Engineer, has had his full share of hard work, and most admirably has he performed it. Hutting the troops, constructing fortified posts, making a road practicable for all arms up to within a few hundred yards of the position where the enemy fought their first

battle in their own territory, bridging the River Prah, an obstacle of considerable magnitude, and subsequently the River Ordah also, besides a large number of smaller streams and rivers—the Royal Engineers, under Major Home, R.E., have worked with the zeal for which their corps has always been conspicuous, and I cannot sufficiently thank him for the manuer in which he has carried out the numerous and arduous duties that have devolved upon him.

Brigadier-General Sir Archibald Alison, Bart., C.B., commanding the European Brigade, has rendered me every possible assistance, and has carried out his orders to my entire satisfaction. He has brought to my notice the valuable assistance he has received from his Brigade-Major, Captain Robinson, Rifle Brigade, and his Aidesde-Camp, Captain Russell, 12th Lancers, and

Lieutenant Fitzgerald, Rifle Brigade.

Colonel M'Leod, C.B., 42nd Highlanders, commanded the advanced guard during the march from the Adansi Hills to Coomassie, conducting his operations with cool gallantry in the most skilful manner. The forcing of all positions occupied by the enemy in our front devolved upon him, and I consider myself most fortunate in having had so able an officer to select for that very trying duty.

Colonel M⁴Leod has brought specially to my notice the names of his Acting Staff Officers, Captain Farquharson, V.C., and Lieutenant Wauchope, both of the 42nd Highlanders, the latter of

whom was, I regret to say, twice wounded.

The Officers commanding English Corps were Captain Grubbe, R.N.; Lieutenant - Colonel Mostyn, 2nd Battalion 23rd Royal Welsh Fusiliers; Major Macpherson, 42nd Highlanders, and, subsequently, when that officer was wounded,

Major Scott, of the same Regiment; and Lieutenant - Colonel Warren, 2nd Battalion, Rifle Brigade, to all of whom my best thanks are due.

The two Native Regiments raised on the coast were commanded throughout the war by Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. Wood, V.C., 90th Light Infantry, and by Brevet Major B. C. Russell, 13th Hussars. Both these Officers have upon many occasions been placed in very difficult positions, requiring the exercise of high military qualities, and have invariably carried out their very arduous and trying duties most efficiently. I take the liberty of bringing to your especial notice, as those upon whom the brunt of this war has fallen, these and the other combatant officers named below who originally came out with me, or followed by the first mail steamer.

Personal Staff.

Captain H. Brackenbury, Royal Artillery, Assistant Military Secretary.

General Staff.

Colonel McNeil, V.C., C.M.G., Colonel on the Staff, severely wounded.

Major T. D. Baker, 18th Royal Irish, Assistant

Adjutant-General.

Captain R H. Buller, 60th Rifles, Deputy Assistant Quartermaster-General, wounded.

Major R. Home, Royal Engineers, Commanding

Royal Engineers, wounded.

Captain A. J. Rait, Royal Artillery, Commanding Royal Artillery.

Special Service.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel H. E. Wood, V.C., 90th Light Infantry, wounded.

Brevet Major B. C. Russell, 13th Hussars.

Captain G. A. Furze, 42nd Highlanders.

Captain A. A. Godwin, 103rd Royal Bombay Fusiliers, severely wounded.

Captain C. J. Bromhead, 24th Regiment.

Captain R. Gordon, 93rd Highlanders (invalided.)

Lieutenant A. Saunders, Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant R. O. Richmond, 50th Queen's Own. Lieutenant H. F. S. Bolton, 1st West India Regiment.

Lieutenant J. F. Maurice, Royal Artillery.

Lieutenant E. R. P. Woodgate, 4th King's Own.

Lieutenant E. F. Lord Gifford, 24th Regiment, wounded.

Lieutenant W. T. Dooner, 8th King's.

Lieutenant A. F. Hart, 31st Regiment, wounded.

Lieutenant J. W. Graves, 18th Royal Irish. Lieutenant M. S. Bell, Royal Engineers.

Lieutenant G. F. Mann, Royal Engineers. also Captain Gordon, 84th Regiment, who was

on this coast before my arrival.

Orrs the original party of thirty—four officers named in the margin* have been killed in action, three have died regrow the effects of climate, and seven of the remain der have been wounded.

seven of the remain der have been wounded.

I beg to bring to your especial notice the bearer of this despatch, Lieutenant Honourable H. Wood, 10th Hussars, my Aide-de-Camp, who

^{*} Killed in action.—Lieutenhant E. Wilmot, Royal Artillery; Lieutenant Eyrc, 90th Light Infantry; Captain Nicol, Hants Militia; Captain Buckle, Royal Engineers.

Died of effects of climate.—I A. Charteris, Aide-de-Camp; Call Lieutenant Honourable Assistant Quartermaster-General; Lieutenant E. H. Town-hend, 16th Regiment.

has rendered me valuable services throughout this campaign.

I have, &c.,

G. J. WOLSELEY.

Major-General.

The Secretary of State for War, War Office, London.

> Army Head Quarters, Coomassie, February 5, 1874.

NOMINAL RETURN of Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers, and Men, Killed and Wounded in Action, at Becquah, on February 1, 1874.

Officers 4 ounded.

Russell's Regiment.

Lieutenant Lord Gifford (24th Regiment), gunshot wound of right thumb; slight.

Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Wounded.

Russell's Regiment.

Private Thomas George, gunshot wound of right elbow; slight.

Private Mouroo (1st), gunshot wound of left

leg; severe.

Private Adiami, gunshot wound of right arm and right knee; very severe.

Private James Garbar, gunshot wound of left hip; severe.

Private Adoubbadowri, gunshot wound of left little toe; severe.

Private Haggigowri, gunshot wound of left shoulder; severe.

Corporal Aodozerma, gunshot wound of left forearm; severe.

NOMINAL RETURN of Officers Wounded in Action between Amoaful and Adwabin, on 2nd February, 1874.

Officers Wounded. 42nd Highlanders.

Lieutenant A. Wauchope, gunshot wound of right hand (contusion); slight.

Russell's Regiment.

Captain A. H. Gordon, 84th Regiment, gunshot wound of right elbow; slight.

Lieutenant F. Hart, 31st Regiment, gunshot wound of left hand (contusion); slight.

NOMINAL RETURN of Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Wounded in Action on the March between Agammamu and the River Dah on 3rd February, 1874.

Officer Wounded. Russell's Regiment.

Lieutenant G. Barton (7th Regiment), gunshot wound of right arm; slight.

Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Wounded. 2nd Battalion Rifle Brigade.

1217 Private William Ray, gunshot wound of neck; severe.

1583 Private William Anglis, gunshot wound of lobe of ear; severe.

1969 Private W. Smith, gunshot wound of right shoulder; very severe.

1643 Private J. Langley, gunshot wound of right thumb; slight.

1598 Private S. Wyndham, gunshot wound of right thigh; slight.

1551 Private J. Lomas, gunshot wound of head; slight.

Russell's Regiment.

Private Aliqua, gunshot wound of left side of neck and ear; severe.

Private Moonena Deckala, gunshot wound of right breast; slight.

Private Mahadoo Seriki, gunshot wound of right shoulder; severe.

Private Ali Baringe Sorkie, gunshot wound of left thigh; severe.

Private Mamadoo Ketchirie, gunshot wound of left side of neck; severe.

Private Albert Norris, gunshot wound of right forearm; severe.

Private Joseph Lawrence, gunshot wound of abdomen (contusion); slight.

Serjeant J. Brooks, gunshot wound of right clavicle (contusion); slight.

Private Babinanga, gunshot wound of left thigh; slight.

NOMINAL RETURN of Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers, and Men Killed and Wounded in Action at the River Duh on 4th February, 1874.

Officers Killed.

Wood's Regiment.

Lieutenant A. H. Eyre, 90th Regiment, gunshot wound of abdomen.

Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Killed.

Wood's Regiment.

14 Private Amramama, gunshot wound of right temple.

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Officers Wounded.

Head-Quarters Staff.

Captain Buller, 60th Rifles, Deputy-Assistant-Quartermaster-General, gunshot wound of right shoulder (contusion); slight.

42nd Highlanders.

Lieutenant A. Wauchope, gunshot wound of left shoulder; severe.

Captain Moore, gunshot wound of right side of chest and right temple; slight.

Lieutenant Grogan, gunshot wound of neck (contusion); slight.

Russell's Regiment.

Lieutenant Lord Gifford, 24th Regiment, gunshot wound of right thigh (contusion); slight.

Her Majesty's Ship "Active."

Lieutenant A. B. Crosbie, Royal Marine Light Infantry, gunshot wound of left breast; slight

Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Wounded.

23rd Regiment.

897 Private J. Maynard, gunshot wound of right side of neck; slight.

42nd Highlanders.

476 Corporal Thomas Milne, gunshot wound of right knee; slight.

1000 Corporal John Cochrane, gunshot wound of

neck; slight.

120 Private Henry Jones, gunshot wound of left fore-arm; slight.

1690 Private John Gordon, gunshot wound of right forearm; slight.

114 Private Jabez McLean, gunshot wound of forehead; slight.

85 Private George Sutherland, gunshot wound of left clavicle; slight.

113 Private Gilbert Laurie, gunshot wound of

left jaw; slight.

3454 Serjeant James Butters, gunshot wound of

left thigh; severe.

3375 Private G. Dudley, gunshot wound of left arm with fracture, and penetrating wound of chest; dangerous.

2152 Private R. Morton, gunshot wound of left

thigh; severe.

2039 Private W. Shiel, gunshot wound of right ear; slight.

2020 Private G. Brown, gunshot wound of right

thigh; slight.

1534 Private J. White, gunshot wound of right wrist; severe.

134 Private Thomas Pickard, gunshot wound of left side of chest; severe.

2nd Battalion Rifle Brigade.

5458 Serjeant Matthews, gunshot wound of fore-arm; slight.

1764 Private J. Kerran, gunshot wound of penis; severe.

1714 Private W. Walker, gunshot wound of ear; severe.

1594 Serjeant S. Kelly, gunshot wound of nose; slight.

2026 Private J. Mahon, gunshot wound of head; very severe.

1605 Private S. Nicholl, gunshot wound of thigh; severe.

1987 Private J. Browne, gunshot wound of loin; very severe.

2252 Private J. Gemming, gunshot wound of shoulder; slight.

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1512 Private J. Wearne, gunshot wound of forearm; slight

2139 Private J. Lyons, gunshot wound of arm;

severe.

1793 Private S. Connel, gunshot wound of forehead; slight.

1778 Private J. Brazier, gunshot wound of eye-

brow; slight.

1290 Private T. Cunningham, gunshot wound of neck; slight.

1469 Serjeant E. Baker, gunshot wound of fore-

arm; severe.

1935 Private A. Jones, gunshot wound of head; slight.

2060 Private W. Steele, gunshot wound of forehead; slight.

1286 Private D. Barker, gunshot wound of jaw; slight.

Her Majesty's Ship " Argus."

A.B. Thomas Spain, gunshot wound of left side of neck.

R.M.A. Nathaniel M'Dermott (? M. McDonald), gunshot wound of right side of head; dangerous (since dead).

Her Majesty's Ship "Active."

R.M. John Wells, gunshot wound of head; very severe.

Serjeant R.M.A. George Taylor, gunshot wound of right leg; very severe.

Wood's Regiment.

Private Belerforü, gunshot wound of scalp; slight.

Private Aria, gunshot wound of right side of face;

slight.

Private Jemmamano, gunshot wound of right arm; slight.

Private Sabitay, gunshot wound of forehead; severe.

Private Akeke, gunshot wound of back; slight.

Private Nashifah, gunshot wound of lest arm; slight.

Private Obokoshofoofe, gunshot wound of left arm; slight.

Private Oboma, gunshot wound of lip; slight.

Private Wakama, gunshot wound of knee; slight. Private Tubomea, gunshot wound of left ankle; slight.

Russell's Regiment.

Private Aodooganguiri, gunshot wound of right hip; slight,

Private Arandoo, gunshot wound of left shoulder; slight.

Rait's Artillery.

Gunner Soulay, gunshot wound of right knee; severe.

Gunner Ardulai, gunshot wound of right forearm; severe.

Gunner Ary, gunshot wound of right thigh; severe.

Serjeant-Major James, gunshot wound of right shoulder; slight.

Gunner Abadoo Kedere, gunshot wound of right middle finger; severe.

Gunner Mammadoo, gunshot wound of left side of neck; slight.

Gunner Bombardie Crofty, gunshot wound of head; severe.

Gunner Dogo (2nd), gunshot wound of left upper jaw; slight.

Gunner Alliday, gunshot wound of back and right hip; severe.

Gunner Adamo Ballachino, gunshot wound of right cheek; severe.

Gunner Owdow, gunshot wound of right forearm; severe.

Gunner Isa, gunshot wound of left tliigh; slight.

Out of a strength of 68 scouts who crossed the Prah under the command of Lord Gifford, 4 have been killed and 28 wounded, inclusive of the 6 shown in return of killed and wounded in action on 31st January; and of a strength of 130 native engineer labourers who crossed the Prah, 6 have been killed and 36 wounded, some of them very severely.

W. A. MacKINNON, Surgeon-Major, Principal Medical Officer.

Sir, Agemmum, February 7, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to inform you that on the 2nd inst. the enemy attacked my fortified post at Fommanah, and were repulsed with loss. Captain A. W. Duncan, R.A., and subsequently Lieutenant-Colonel Colley (2nd Queen's Regiment), were in command of the post during the action.

I enclose a list of casualties.

I have, &c., G. J. WOLSELEY,

Major-General.

The Right Honourable the Secretary of State for War, War Office, London.

NO MINAL RETURN of Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers, and Men Wounded in action at Fommanah, on 2nd February, 1874.

Officers Wounded.
Royal Artillery.

Captain A. W. Duncan, gunshot wound of leg; slight.

47th Regiment.

Captain D. North, gunshot wound of right side of chest and right elbow joint; dangerous.

Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Wounded. 42nd Highlanders.

1889 Private John McArthur, gunshot wound of back; dangerous.

2058 Private William McKendrick, gunshot wound of face; slight.

2nd Battalion Rifle Brigade.

2064 Private C. Chapman, gunshot wound of thigh; slight.

1st West India Regiment.

340 Private J. Coggin, gunshot wound of scalp; slight.

457 Private J. Crutchley, gunshot wound of thigh and back; severe.

777 Private J. Mares gunshot wound of chest; severe.

743 Private W. W. Barratt, gunshot wound of thigh; severe.

W. A. MacKINNON, Surgeon-Major, Principal Medical Officer.

Sir, Agemmum, February 7, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to enclose lists of the casualties in the affair at Borborassie, on the 29th ult., and in the defence of the convoy between Insarfu and Egginassie, on the 31st ult.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) G. J. WOLSELEY, Major-General.

The Right Honourable
The Secretary of State for War,
War Office, London.

NOMINAL RETURN of Officers, Non-Commissioned Officers, and Men Killed and Wounded at Borborassie on 29th January, 1874.

Officer Killed.

Russell's Regiment.

Captain James Nicol (late 13th Regiment), Captain and Adjutant Hampshire Militia, gunshot wound of neck and chest.

Man Killed.

Russell's Regiment.

Private Copper Nail, gunshot wound of neck and chest.

Non-Commissioned Officers and Men Wounded.

Russell's Regiment.

Private Quashie Ahidi, gunshot wound of left side; very severe.

Private Amoano, gunshot wound of left arm; very severe.

Private Wrappa, gunshot wound of back; dangerous.

NOMINAL RETURN of Man Wounded when escorting Stores between Insarfu and Egginassie, on 31st January, 1874.

Man Wounded.

2nd West India Regiment.

30 Private Charles Dunn, gunshot wound of right fore-arm; severe.

W. A. MacKINNON, Surgeon-Major, Principal Medical Officer. Agemmum, February 7, 1874.

ON the 5th instant I had the honour to address you from Coomassie, and to inform you that if the King refused to come in, I should destroy his capital. I now regret to have to report that all my efforts to induce him to come himself, or send a prince of the royal blood to treat with me, failed; and that the King only continued that policy of falsehood and deception which have marked all his dealings with me. Messengers who arrived throughout the 5th were abusing the liberty which I allowed them, by carrying off arms and ammunition from the town; and on the evening of that day I decided upon withdrawing my troops, and destroying Coomassie.

My decision to withdraw immediately was strengthened by the fact that tornados appeared to have set in, and that the passage of the rivers in my rear might be rendered more difficult by

delay.

Sir.

I had in the morning sent off all the wounded who were unable to march under escort of Wood's and Russell's Regiment, and a Company of the Rifle Brigade, and I now issued orders for an advance, on the morning of the 6th, of all the remaining troops beyond Coomassie, the dispositions being such, that on the facing about of the column, all would be in order for the homeward march. Prize agents were appointed, and the most valuable articles left in the Palace packed up, the King having, evidently, removed or concealed his treasure. A party of the Royal Engineers was engaged during the night mining the Palace.

Early on the 6th our homeward movements commenced, headed by the Naval Brigade, and covered by a rear guard of the 42nd Highlanders, which did not retire till the town had been set on fire in every quarter, and the mines in the palace fired. A tornado had raged during the previous day and night, but the destruction of the town by

fire was complete.

In the despatch which I addressed to you on the 13th October last, asking for English troops to be sent out to enable me to accomplish my mission, I stated that that mission—to ensure a lasting peace with the Ashanti kingdom—could only be fulfilled in one way, by defeating the Ashanti army, by pursuing it, if necessary, to the capital of the Ashanti kingdom, and by so showing to the King and all those Chiefs who urged him on to war, that the arm of Her Majesty is powerful to punish her enemies even in the very heart of their own country.

That mission I conceive I have now fulfilled by the aid of the troops which Her Majesty's Government confided to me for its accomplishment. Yet I can truly state that no means were left untried by me to bring about a peaceable solution of the campaign. Up to the last hour I left the King's palace untouched, in hopes that he would return. The troops refrained with the most admirable self-control from spoliation or plunder; and they left the capital of this kingdom, so famed for its gold, without carrying away

as plunder one article of value.

All the troops have now reached or passed this point. The return march was not made without difficulty. The streams and rivers had become so swollen from the effect of the tornados of the last few days, that the shallow swamps had become waist deep, and the water in the River Ordah had yesterday submerged the bridge constructed on the night of the 3rd instant, and was still rising when the troops passed the river. But the convoys were all taken

over in safety, and the men of the Rifle Brigade and 42nd Regiment, before whose arrival the bridge had commenced to give way, undressed, passed their clothes over the heads of natives, and themselves forded the stream, in one part fully five feet deep.

I shall continue my homeward march to-morrow by as rapid stages as the nature of the country

will allow and with every military precaution.

(Signed)

I have, &c., G. J. WOLSELEY,

Major-General.

The Right Honourable
The Secretary of State for War,
War Office.

SIR, Agemmum, February 7, 1874.

IN my despatch of this day's date, I have given you the latest information as to the movements of the column under my immediate command.

As regards the three other columns last mentioned in my despatch of the 30th ultimo, I have the honour to inform you that I have no news of Captain Glover since that date. All Captain Butler's force of Akims deserted him without warning or reason, and he has returned south of the River Prah; while Captain Moore has arrived in this camp, stating that Captain Dalrymple has utterly failed to induce any men to cross the Ashanti frontier, and is himself on the road to my Head Quarters.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) G. J. WOLSELEY,
Major-General.

The Right Honourable
The Secretary of State for War,
War Office.

Camp, Amoaful, February 8, 1874.

I HAD scarcely sent off my despatches yesterday when Captain Butler, half-pay, 69th Regiment, arrived in my camp, and as his mission to the Western Akims is now completely closed, I feel it my duty to bring at once to your notice the admirable manner in which he has conducted a most

trying and difficult task.

SIR,

That Captain Butler failed in his effort to lead a force of Akims to Coomassie is not his fault, but is solely due to the ineradicable cowardice and sloth of the people with whom he had to deal. In the face of great difficulties he succeeded in raising a force of Akims and leading them across the Prah. Although they deserted him at the very time when a junction with me was within their reach, these troops did, by their partial advance, effect that diversion which was the object of Captain Butler's labours, drawing off from opposition to the column under my immediate command the whole fighting force of Kokofoo, one of the six great tributary principalities of the Ashanti Kingdom.

The high opinion of Captain Butler, which caused me to give him an independent command, is strengthened by his conduct in this war; and I beg to recommend him especially to your notice as an officer of great ability, of remarkably ready resources, and of untiring powers of action.

Captain Dalrymple, 88th Foot, has also worked indefatigably under most disheartening conditions. He too has been vanquished by the vis inertiæ of the people amongst whom his task lay. But he, like Captain Butler, has rendered me real service, for the Becquah fighting men were drawn off to meet an attack from the Wassaw frontier, which Captain Dalrymple's movements led them to ex-

pect. I beg to recommend Captain Dalrymple to

your favourable notice.

I have to-day received further despatches from Captain Glover, He writes last from Odumassie. on the 28th ultimo, being then one march advanced from Obogo, whence he dated on the 17th ultimo, and about 20 miles, according to his estimate, from Juabin or Coomassie. Copies of his despatches are sent to the Secretary of State for the Colonies. He had with him all his Houssas and Yorubas, and 700 Akims, and was expecting immediate reinforcements of Aquapims and Croboes. sent him orders to fall back behind the River Prah, and though I regret that he is not likely, owing to difficulties of communication, to receive these instructions for some time, he should meanwhile, with the force at his command, be quite able to hold his own against very superior numbers of the enemy. I reserve further remarks till Captain Glover's mission is concluded.

I have, &c.,

My LORD,

(Signed) G. J. WOLSELEY,

Major-General. The Right Honourable

The Secretary of State for War, War Office, London,

Colonial Office, March 7, 1874.

THE following Despatches were received at the Colonial Office this morning from Sir Garnet Wolseley:-

No. 1.

Sir G. Wolseley to the Earl of Kimberley.

Camp Agiamum, February 7, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to report that immediately

after the despatch from this station of my last letter on the 3rd instant, I forwarded a flying column, taking with me five days' provisions, and marched upon Coomassie. The enemy's resistance on the 3rd was considerable, very large numbers being in our front. I halted on the River Ordah.

During the course of the day's march I received from the King a letter, of which I inclose a copy, with a letter from Mr. Dawson also inclosed, and

returned at once the inclosed reply.

On the 4th I advanced again at daybreak. The enemy had occupied a position of considerable strength near the village of Ordasu. This they held against us from about seven till a quarter to two, when they yielded, and on my advance-guard, under Colonel McLeod, being pushed on against them, broke and fled in all directions, leaving behind, strewed along the read, the Chiei's umbrellas and chairs, &c., and the food which had been carried with the army.

In the course of this day's march I received from Mr. Dawson two letters, of which I enclose copies. I ordered that the troops should be pushed on at once. No opposition was offered to

our entry into the town.

We occupied the town. Mr Dawson was met,

at full liberty, walking in the streets.

I immediately issued stringent orders for the protection of the inhabitants and the safety of the town. But night fell almost immediately after our entry, and in the darkness it was impossible to prevent some of the numerous camp followers from pillaging. The Fantee prisoners had also been released, and, in all probability, were largely engaged in the same pursuit. The result was the outbreak of many fires. Captain Baker, Inspector-General of the Police, and several officers, were

engaged nearly all night in the suppression of the pillaging and in putting out the fires. One

policeman taken in the act was hung.

I endeavoured immediately on my arrival to communicate with the King through Mr. Dawson, and through every channel that appeared to offer an opportunity. A Chief having come into Coomassie who was said to be sent by the King, I saw him myself, and impressed upon him my wish to spare the town, and my desire to impose on the King no severer conditions than those he had already accepted.

Moreover, I told this man that, now that I had shown the power of England, I was ready, if the King would make peace at once, to accept a small indemnity, and not to exact the half I had pre-

viously required to be paid in ready money.

Other messengers were obtained who undertook to reach the King. To these I entrusted the letter dated Coomassie, 5th February, 1874.

All was, however, of no avail.

The men whom I end-avoured to employ as messengers, and who came avowedly as envoys of the King, were found treacherously removing powder and gold dust from the houses.

The whole scheme of Ashantee politics is so based upon treachery, that the King does not either understand any other form of negotiation, or believe it possible that others can have honest

intentions.

Under these circumstances, my Lord, it became clear that a Treaty would be as valueless to us as it was difficult to obtain.

Nothing remained but to leave such a mark of our power to punish as should deter from future aggression a nation whom Treaties do not bind.

I had done all I could to avoid the necessity, but it was forced upon me. I gave orders for the destruction of the palace and the burning of the city; I had at one time also contemplated on the destruction of the Bantoma, where the sacred ashes of former Kings are entombed, but this would have involved a delay of some hours. Very heavy rain had fallen. I feared that the streams might have risen in my rear sufficiently to seriously delay my march. I considered it better, therefore, not to risk further the health of the troops, the wet weather having already threatened seriously to affect it.

The demolition of the place was complete. From all that I can gather I believe that the result will be such a diminution in the prestige and military power of the Ashantee monarch as may result in the break-up of the kingdom altogether. This I had been anxious to avoid, because it seems impossible to foresce what power can take this nation's place among the feeble races of this coast. I certainly believe that your Lordship may be well convinced that no more utterly atrocious Government than that which has thus, perhaps, fallen ever existed on the face of the earth. Their capital was a charnel-house; their religion a combination of cruelty and treachery; their policy the natural outcome of their religion. I cannot think, that whatever may be the final fate of the people of this country, the absolute annihilation of such a rule, should it occur, would be a subject for unmixed regret.

In any case, my Lord, I believe that the main object of my expedition has been perfectly secured. The territories of the Gold Coast will not again be troubled by the warlike ambition of this restless Power. I may add that the flag of England from this moment will be received throughout Western Africa with respectful awe, a treatment

which has been of late years by no means its invariable fate among the savage tribes of this region.

The troops are now on their march homewards, and will embark for England immediately on reaching Cape Coast.

As the mission entrusted to me has now, I may say, have been brought to an end, I avail myself of this opportunity for bringing to your Lordship's most favourable notice the valuable services rendered to me throughout the war by Lieutenant Maurice, R.A., my Private Secretary. I would also take the liberty of mentioning the name of Captain Lanyon, 2nd West India Regiment, who for some time performed the duties of Colonial Secretary, and whose knowledge of Colonial duties and regulations were of great service to me since my arrival in this country.

The police duties in connection with the recent military operations have been most effectively performed by Captain Baker, Inspector-General of Police Hc has rendered the force under my command most valuable service, and his zeal and energy mark him out as peculiarly suited for the post he occupies.

My Aide-de-Camp, Lieutenant the Honourable H. L. Wood, 10th Hussars, who is the bearer of this despatch, I have the honour to recommend to your Lordship's favourable notice.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) G. J. WOLSELEY,
Major-General and Administrator,
Gold Coast.

Inclosure 1 in No. 1.

Coomassie, February 4, 1874.

My GOOD FRIEND,

I BEG to write this to acquaint your Excellency that I am willing to meet your Excellency's demands, but only your Excellency's very rapid movement puts me into confusion. Regarding the hostages and the money, if your Excellency would allow me, I beg that you will let us do it in the same as late Governor Maclean did. Because my old mother and brother are my both counsellors and helpers in every way. I acknowledge the wrong done by Ammankwatea, and he will surely he punished by making to pay the sum your Excellency demands. About the prisoners: fearing that some may be excited and hurt himself I have put them all in iron, and as soon as your Excellency stay to give the time I will send them all.

J. W. Dawson, your messenger, begs to add

few words of his.

Your Excellency will to listen your humble servant's entreaty now to stay few days where your Excellency has reached with the forces, as our lives are now in danger. I was taken from iron to write this letter, and instead of being together we are placed in different places. I beg to say that they feel now the strong battle they have had, and the King now say he will withdraw his forces if your Excellency would promise to remain where you are to have the matters properly arranged. No doubt we will all be killed if your Excellency do not stay. I send now my canebearer instead of my servant.

The King is anxious to meet your demands,

but he finds the money too heavy. He desires to hint your Excellency with his best respect.

We beg, &c.

(For His Majesty Kofi Kalkalee),

(Signed)

YÁW BUSUMMURUTINGES,

his x mark,

KUEKA BUSUMUMMARUGWIRA,

his x mark,

King's Private Counsellors.

His Excellency Major-General

Sir G. Wolseley, C.B., K.C.M.G.,

&c. &c. &c

Inclosure 2 in No. 1.

SIR, Coomassie, February 3, 1874.

AFTER the first letter dictated by the King, his Chiefs have also begged me to beg of your Excellency to stop your forces where you have reached, and that they will see that every demand is attended to amicably. The prisoners will be sent directly this messenger returns with your Excellency's promise to stay them. I humbly beg your Excellency on my knees to let the forces stop, and everything will be settled. I see now they have bend to do what is right, and trust your Excellency will not fight them again, as they intend to withdraw the forces.

I am in haste, yours, &c. (Signed) JOS. DAWSON.

His Excellency Major-General

Sir G. Holseley, C.B., K.C.M.G.,

&c. &c. &c.

P.S.—The Chiefs desire me to ask your Excellency to stop the Court, if your Excellency agree to stay and send my cane-bearer to take the prisoners directly.

1 pray your Excellency to Y 2

stop the forces from fighting, if his troops do not bring it to your Excellency. The King says now that he will do your wishes.

Your obedient servant, (Signed) COFI BUAKI, his × mark, Linguist.

Inclosure 3 in No. 1.

King, On the March, February 3, 1874. YOU have deceived me so before that I cannot halt until the hostages are in my possession; as time presses I will consent to accept for to-day your mother and Prince Mensah. Both shall be

well treated by me.

You can trust my word. If you send them to me this evening I will halt my army this side of the River Ordah. Unless you send them at once, my army will march upon Coomassie.

I am, King, your true friend and well-wisher, (Signed) G. J. WOLSELEY,

Major-General and Administrator,
Gold Coast.

To His Majesty Coffee Kalcully, King of Ashantee, Coomassie.

Inclosure 4 in No. 1.

Sir, Coomassie, February 4, 1874.

I FIND things have come to a crisis eoncerning the lives of us all here, that I am bound to run to your Honour to beg of you to plead with the Major-General for us all eoncerned.

Finding that my eane-bearer foolishly denied of the men, I mean the prisoners here, being put in irons ever since last Monday, and remaining in them to this day, I beg to be believed that I would not dare to write nonsense to the Major-General

or my master. Both he, the cane-man, and I were taken out yesterday morning about 3 o'clock to write the letters which he brought, and I have been since left at lib-rty, but every one else, except my cook, whom I have got released this morning, and two other servants, is in iron, and as soon as the Ashantees are driven very close to Coomassie we all shall be killed. My boy Robert comes now, and your Honour will see the marks of the beating he has had. It is true the King was not at Coomassie, he had gone to see some great fetish of his, and his chief Procurator and Privy Counsellor thought some bad fellows would hurt us, or some of us might, through the excitement in the country, commit suicide; but this ought to be without beating. As this Chief could not find room for all in his house, he shared us to some of his Captains under him, and it is only those who were kept in his house escaped the being beaten. May I beg to ask your Honour to plead with the Major-General to defer his personal coming, which frightens the people so much, and appoint an officer of rank, if he could not spare your Honour, and then the Major-General might demand two or three of his (King's) principal captains; for instance, Essamuah Iukwauta, Busummarengwira, and Prince and Captain Berrempa, instead of giving the mother and brother, Royal lineage which is against their superstitions to give for hostages. Then let him withdraw all his forces, and leave the path between entirely free for the time being in the hands of the Major-General, so that his forces are allowed no chance of doing any mischief.

Matters might be very well settled in this manner, and we may be saved, since the destruction of the whole blessed kingdom after we are killed

would not bring us back.

I know now the Ashantees will yield to all the terms of the Major-General for peace, except the sending their Royal lineage out of the kingdom, which is against their superstitious notions, so much so that they would rather die or perish foolishly than doing it; I would not care a button if they could do it without us

The Major-General might, after things being put straight in this manner, come for a day or two

to see the King and then march to the coast.

The question about the money can be very soon arranged if the Governor, with security, allow them to pay it instalmently. On my knees I pray your honour to do all you can for us in this my

petition.

As it regards Ashantee power now being broken is very evident; they now beg me, which they have never done before, to do all I can to save them. The King himself sent his stepfather to tell me that he now acknowledges the superiority of the white men, and crave pardon that he may be allowed to treat for peace.

I pray your Honour, therefore, to do all you can to pacify the Major-General to halt at the river, that the prisoners may be sent at once and have everything settled, as the distance is only about three hours within Coomassie. May the Lord aid you in your endeavourings, is the prayer of your Honour's humble and obedient servant,

(Signed) JOS. DAWSON.

Captain Butler, &c. &c. &c.

Inclosure 5 in No. 1.

Sir, Coomassie, February 4, 1874.

FOR Heaven's sake I pray your Excellency to halt the forces for to-day and to-morrow. All the

Ashantee forces are coming back home, and I think I will succeed in getting what I have written Captain Butler. If your Excellency do not halt, and do not hear from me about 12 to-morrow noon, then all is over with me.

I am, &c., (Signed) JOS. DAWSON.

His Excellency Major-General Sir G. Wolseley, C.B., K.C.M.G., &c., &c., &c.

Inclosure 6 in No. 1.

King, Coomassie, February 4, 1874.

YOU have deceived me, but I have kept my

promise to you.

I am in Coomassie, and my only wish is to make a lasting peace with you. I have shown you the power of England, and now I will be merciful.

As you do not wish to give up your mother and Prince Mensah, send me some other hostages of rank, and I will make peace with you to-morrow

on the terms originally agreed upon.

If either your Majesty, or your Royal mother, or Prince Mensah, will come to see me to-morrow morning early, I will treat you with all the honour due to your royal dignity, and allow you to return in safety. You can trust my word.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) G. J. WOLSELEY,
Major-General and Administrator,
Gold Coast.

To His Majesty Coffee Kalcully, King of Ashantee, Coomassie.

No. 2.

Sir G. Wolseley to the Earl of Kimberley.

Head Quarters, Camp, Agiamun, Mr Lord, February 7, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to inclose a copy of a report just received from Captain Butler. Your Lordship will perceive that it represents the complete collapse of the expedition under his orders.

2. From Captain Glover I have received no report since that of the 17th from Opogo, the contents of which I forwarded to your Lordship from Fommanah, and which represented him as short of ammunition and awaiting its arrival, after the success which placed him in possession of the town.

From Captain Dalrymple I have received no official report, but I hear that the Chiefs under his orders have almost entirely deserted him.

Since the above was written, Captain Butler himself has arrived. I cannot express too strongly my sense of the efforts which he, and the officers under his orders, have made for the cause in hand. In so far as failure represents an additional trouble, which has to be undergone by a man of energy and resource, and an additional hardship from which he suffers, Captain Butler has had all the bitterness of it. He has failed to induce the miserable Chiefs of this district to do all that he, in his fine belief in native character fancied that he would be able to induce them to do. But so far as the interests of the expedition under my orders are concerned, Captain Butler has not failed, but most successfully achieved the very object which I had in view in detaching him for the work he so cheerfully and skilfully undertook. He has effected a most important diversion in favour of the main body, and has detained before

him all the forces of one of the most powerful Ashantee Chiefs.

For any purpose for which energy, practical ability, high spirit, and much knowledge of character are required, I cannot too highly commend Captain Butler to your Lordship's attention. All these qualities have been, under the most trying circumstances, displayed by him upon the

present occasion.

In speaking of Captain Dalrymple I must point out that his position has been in some respects a far more difficult one than ever Captain Butler's. Captain Butler is not only a man well known to the world at large, but I have on a previous occasion had opportunities myself for recognizing his ability. He was known personally to all those officers who were with me in Canada, and of whom many are here. Captain Dalrymple came as a perfect stranger to most of us. The difference is very considerable in the situation of two men each in positions of somewhat painful isolation. Under these most difficult circumstances, Captain Dalrymple has worked with a heartiness and energy which I cannot too highly commend.

Captain Glover's position before the world is so conspicuous, and your Lordship's knowledge of his ability is so complete, that I scarcely think it would be suitable for me to report upon him as if he were one of the Officers in any ordinary sense under my orders. In fact, since his military operations have been carried out under my orders, I have received but one report from him, and know nothing of what has been the history of his force.

I have, &c.
(Signed) G. J. WOLSELEY,
Major-General and Administrator,
Gold Coast.

Inclosure in No. 2.

SIR,

Tribee, February 2, 1874.

After the dispatch of my letter of the 29th and 30th ultimo, a rapid retreat commenced in the whole Akim force. So universal was the panic that during the greater portion of the night bodies of men continued to move south, and early on the morning of the 31st Yancoma was reached and left behind. No attempt was made on the part of the Kings to excuse or explain their gross treachery, and I could elicit nothing more tangible than that they were too far advanced into Ashantee territory, and that they must be cut off before assistance could reach them.

My belief is that the statements of a blind Ashantee prisoner taken at Nansuah, coupled with a verbal message sent by King Attah of East Akim, the purport of which I was not made aware of, did much to induce the disgraceful flight.

In the hasty postscript to my letter of the 30th ultimo I had only time to make you acquainted

with the fact of the retreat.

No previous warning—no intimation whatever—had been given to me that it was the intention of the Kings and Chiefs to abandon Akina; indeed, up to the very moment that the retreat began I was moving through the camps, endeavouring to get the Akims to move to Dadiasso, en route to Amoaful, and I had actually engaged a party of hunters to proceed through the bush to the main line near the latter place. Yet, so complete was the flight, that within two hours, not a man was left in Akinee, and long before midnight every Akim was behind the Ennoou River, ten miles distant. All this without a reverse having taken

place, and after a loss of only two killed and two wounded in the entire force.

I cannot express to you the feelings with which I beheld this total break up of the movement. Little by little, step by step, I had succeeded in leading these savages to within a very trifling dis-

tance of the point aimed at.

It is true that there were many indications of how utterly untrustworthy was the composition of the force under my command; but, nevertheless, at Akina I naturally looked at the task as all but accomplished, and my junction with the main body at Amoaful, within a few miles of Coomassie, as only a question of some hours. Encumbered with baggage without carriers, save those given me by the Kings, and with three of my officers sick from actual fever or its recent presence, I dare not await at Akinee the chance of communication from the main body. I had to abandon the fruits of no little labour at the moment success seemed most assured.

The Kings, with about a quarter of the original force, are now encamped close to the Prah at Embronen; they have refused to move to Prahsu. The remainder of the men are scattered or dispersed to their homes.

I will proceed to head-quarters with all speed, and afterwards be ready to undertake such punishment as the Major-General may determine to inflict upon the Akim Chiefs.

Captain Paget has had a relapse of fever. He

proceeds with carriers to Prahsu.

I have, &c. (Signed) W. F. BUTLER, Captain.

To the Chief of the Staff.

No. 3.

Sir G. Wolseley to the Earl of Kimberley.

Head-Quarters, Camp Amoaful,
My Lord, February 8, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to inclose copies of two reports which have just arrived from Captain Glover. Your Lordship will perceive that the last is dated January 28, eleven days ago, and that Captain Glover speaks of being then within 20 miles of Coomassie.

I am making every effort to send him news of our success, and orders to fall back behind the Prah. I have offered large rewards to messengers if they succeed in reaching him, and have sent to him by several different routes. In any case, in the utterly crushed state of the Ashantee forces, I have every hope that Captain Glover will be able to hold his own against any army they could bring against him, and, at the worst, he certainly will be able to secure his own retreat.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) G. J. WOLSELEY,
Major-General and Administrator,
Gold Coast.

Inclosure 1 in No. 3.

Sir, Abogoo, January 21, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to acknowledge the receipt of your Excellency's despatches dated 31st December, 1873, 8th January, 13th January, and your Excellency's communication of the 14th instant.

2. My entire force of Houssas and Yorubas, which are capable of being brought to the front, are now up as per state inclosed, and Mr. Ponsonby, R.N., joined head-quarters on 18th, and Dr. Rowe on afternoon of 19th instant.

3. Yesterday came up 23 boxes of Snider and 20 boxes of Enfield ammunition, 2 cases of rockets,

and 1 trough.

4. This afternoon came in other loads, completing spare ammunition, 458 spare rounds Snider for 350 men, and 55 spare rounds Enfield for 500 men, one 7-pounder gun, and 15 charges for ditto, 4 troughs, and 72 rockets.

5. To-morrow I am expecting 2 boxes containing fuses, friction-tubes, slow-match, &c., 4 cases of shot for 7-pounder guns, 16 cases of shell (common), 5 cases double shell, 17-pounder gun,

and 7 cases of charges for 7-pounders.

- 6. I regret to have to report that I received yesterday the news of the death of Dr. Paule, R.N., who died at Assoom of fever and jaundice, followed by dysentery, on the 19th instant. Theloss of this Officer is very much regretted by the Officers of this Expedition, as well as by myself. His kindness and genial disposition had endeared him to all, and since the 27th ultimo, owing to the illness of Lieutenant Cameron, 19th Regiment, he had been in command of an advanced detachment of force until it reached Assoom on the 10th instant.
- 7. On the 19th instant came up the Chief of Assoom with 120 men. Yesterday the King of Eastern Akim came with 300 more, and to-day some 50 others have arrived.
- 8. On the 17th a broad road leading northwards was reconnoitred for three miles by Lieutenant Barnard, 19th Regiment, with 100 men, but was found to end in farms. On the 18th the same officer and force examined road to Conomo for three or four miles without seeing any one. Reconnaissances were pushed out five or six miles towards the villages of Bangsu and Ja-Ashi. On left flack and left rear nothing was seen, remain lead force being occupied in unroofing and

loopholing houses and cutting patrol paths through

forest around village.

9. To-day Captain Larcom, R.N., and Lieutenant Barnard, 19th Regiment, with 100 men, examined country 10 miles on left rear, burning two deserted villages, and King of East Akim drove out the enemy from Bangsu, a village 11 miles on left flank, which he burned, having four men wounded. To-morrow Lieutenant Barnard, in command of 160 Houssas and Yorubas, with Mr. Ponsonby, in charge of rocket party and 300 Akims, will occupy Bargens, and day after to-morrow move upon Jaashu for the purpose of dislodging the enemy from that place, and opening communication with Captain Butler, whose force cannot be more than four hours to the westward, in neighbourhood of Atcheyasswah.

10. Jaashi like this place is five hours' distant from Conomo, which will be occupied by force not later than 25th or 26th, and is three from Coomassie or Daubin. I calculate approximately the position of this place to be in latitude 6° 30′ N.

and 57° 30' W.

I have, &c,

(Signed) JOHN H. GLOVER,

Special Commissioner.

His Excellency Major-General
Sir G. Wolseley, K.C.M.G, C.B.,
&c. &c. &c.

Inclosure 2 in No. 3.

Sir, January 28, 1874.

SINCE date of my last despatch to your Excellency of the 21st instant, Lieutenant Barnard, having with him Mr. Ponsonby, R.N., who was in charge of rocket troughs and 160 Houssas and Yorubas, with 200 Akims, occupied Bangsu and the next day drove out the enemy from Jaashu,

ten miles south-west of this place; casualties, nil. 25th, 200 Akims more despatched to attack a small village to left rear were repulsed; loss of 2 killed and 4 wounded; 20 Akims only being engaged, the rest retreating Akims reporting that from loudness of the guns they believed the village to be occupied by Cobrah Fuah's army (Western Akim), and requested Lieutenant Barnard some Houssas; but fearing an attack from this place, which was known to be occupied by the enemy, Lieutenant Barnard sent only a bugler and 4 men with a red English flag. The men reported that the Akims could not be induced to proceed more than a mile, and on their return were only prevented from bolding to Abogoo by a rocket being directed down the road to head them back. The next day Lieutenant Barnard was to have effected a junction with me at this place at 1 P.M., so was compelled to leave Assufoo. He lest Jaashie at 10 A.M., but did not reach this place until 3.30 P.M., and earried it after fifteen minutes' firing.

Mr. Ponsonby was hit by a spent ball which eaused him to fall, also two Houssas hit, one seriously. The enemy held the bush or border of the village for about five minutes until dislodged by two rockets, when they retreated in direction

of Coomassie or Juabin.

In the meantime I had left Abogoo at 7 a.m., and forming junction with 100 men under Captain Sartorius, who had left the day previous and eneamped two and a-half hours in advance, I proceeded for Conomo, three miles due east of this place. It was quite dark when we arrived within a mile of this place, and I eneamped intending to attack at daybreak, but a reconnoissance made by the King of Eastern Akim and twenty men found it deserted, and it was immediately occupied by his ferce, about 400 men.

On the 27th I moved to this place, leaving Dr. Rowe and 200 Houssas and Yorubas with King of Akim to prevent Akim force from going off in a sudden panic. The King himself is brave, so is his General, and, perhaps, 100 out of 700 of the entire Akim force with me.

Captain Butler does not inform me of his line of march after crossing Prah, and the few Ashantee prisoners with me give no information. The slaves taken know nothing except the road from the farm they work on to the village in which they are taken. I cannot get the Akims to reconnoitre, so that unless Captain Sartorius should succeed in getting this despatch to Captain Butler, I do not know how I shall effect communication with your Excellency.

I am awaiting reinforcements of Aquapins with spare ammunition, also King of Crobo with a large force, all of whom are within three or four marches of not being in lat. 6° 38′ N. and long. 1½ W.

15 or 20 miles from

Coomassie or Juabin.

From such information as I can gather, the enemy will oppose my crossing the river. Assoom six hours from this.

Excepting "Abogoo," every place occupied has been found swept of sheep and fowls, consequently my force has been living on yam and plaintains for the last seven days, and the officers have no preserved meat up of any description.

One of my messengers was robbed and flogged by some West India soldiers, consequently the Akims at Assoom refuse to convey letter, and I am too far in advance to influence them.

I shall endcavour to get duplicate of this and previous one of 21st instant, sent to your Excellency by route south of Prah.

Inclosed is a copy of Lieutenant Barnard's

(19th Regiment) report of attack and occupation

of this place, Odumassie.

It is with much pleasure that I bring to the notice of your Excellency the conduct of Lieutenant Barnard, 19th Regiment, a most promising and indefatigable young officer. Captain Sartorius, in command of the advanced force which carried Abogoo, brought to my notice his gallant bearing on that occasion; and he displayed great discretion and judgment while in command of the column which I found in possession of this place yesterday. I therefore hope your Excellency will remember Lieutenant Barnard's gallant conduct on this second occasion when this campaign is finished.

I take the opportunity of bringing to the notice of your Excellency the invaluable assistance which I have received from Captain Sartorius, 6th Bengal Cavalry. It was entirely owing to his indefatigable exertion and great personal influence that the Croboes and Aquapims were induced to move on the Volta, when they did, thereby showing the Accras and enabling mc, with the assistance of Dr. Rowe on the seaboard, to cross a large force of 17,000 men over the Volta by 27th December, nor could any force have reached the Prah on 15th instant, but for the amount of pressure put upon the King and Chiefs of Eastern Akim by Captain Sartorius. I shall, on another occasion, bring this Officer's service more fully to the notice of your Excellency, trusting that you will forward them to the Secretary of State for India.

(Signed) JOHN H. GLOVER, Special Commissioner.

His Excellency Major-General
Sir G. Wolseley, K.C.M.G., C.B.,
&c. &c. &c.

1874.

Admiralty, March 7, 1874.

THE following Despatch and Enclosures have been received by the Secretary of the Admiralty from Commodore W. N. W. Hewett, V.C., Senior Naval Officer on the Gold Coast:—

Transmitting Reports of Movements of Naval Brigade, received from Captain W. Hunt Grubbe.

Sir, "Active," at Cape Coast, February 7, 1874.

ADVERTING to my letter of the 2nd February, 1874, I have now the honour to forward for the information of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, copies of letters I have received from Captain W. Hunt Grubbe, detailing the movements of the Naval Brigade under his command during the three engagements at Boboassie, Amoaful, and Becquah, which have already been reported by me.

In continuation of my despatch above referred to, I request you will lay before the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty a further letter which has been addressed to me by Captain Grubbe, giving an account of the proceedings of the Naval Brigade at the engagement which took place on the 4th instant, during the crossing of the River

Dah, and subsequent movements.

The European troops having captured and burnt Coorassie are now on their way back to

Cape Coast.

I have much pleasure in informing the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty that the conduct of the Naval Brigade during the whole time it has been disembarked has been unexceptional, and, when in action the men have behaved with great coolress and courage.

I cannot pass by the zeal and energy displayed by Dr. Henry Fegan, Staff-Surgeon 2nd Class, of Her Majesty's ship "Active," in his arrangements for the care of the sick and wounded.

His kind attention to their wants has been unceasing, notwithstanding the great fatigue he must have often been suffering, during the trying time experienced since crossing the Prah, and I beg to call the attention of their Lordships to the paragraph in Captain Grubbe's letter, wherein he mentions the gallant conduct of this officer, who, while the rear guard (to which he was attached) was being attacked, succeeded in bringing in a wounded marine at great personal risk.

I enclose a list of casualties in the Naval Brigade during the engagement at the River Dah.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) W. N. W. HEWETT, Commodore.

The Secretary of the Admiralty.

Medowma, January 29, 1874.

Sir,

IN compliance with orders received last night from Colonel M'Leod, C.B., covering the advanced guard, I this morning moved the Naval Brigade to take part in the reconnaisance of the village of Borborassie, situate about six miles S.W. by W. of Kiang Boassu, preceded by a company of Russell's Regiment, and supported by Head Quarters of 23rd Welsh Fusiliers, we started at 8.15 and, after traversing a very narrow bush path, arrived at this village at 10.40, the Brigade immediately coming into action with the Ashantis who were in considerable force under a general of some note.

The village was soon cleared, the Ashantis retreating into the bush, but not until Captain Nicholls had been killed, and two seamen of the brigade, and some men of Russell's regiment wounded. Fourteen prisoners, eight-and-twenty muskets with accourrements, and thirteen kegs of powder, a chief's umbrella, &c., fell into our hands; the muskets and powder were destroyed before leaving.

On our return to our camp, which we reached at 3.30 p.m., the 23rd Regiment formed the advanced guard, and a brisk fire was kept up between them and the Ashantis, who were blowing their horns and shouting in all directions. A guide was killed close to the head of their column. The rear was brought up by the Naval Brigade, and A Company, in charge of Lieutenant Pipon, of Her Majesty's ship "Active," was much harassed in rear and both flanks for upwards of an hour. The men behaved very steadily, killing a considerable number of the enemy, with loss to themselves of one seaman only, badly wounded.

Colonel McLeod expressed himself pleased with conduct of the Naval Brigade, and I have great pleasure in testifying to the good behaviour of the officers and men under somewhat trying circumstances. Dr. Fegan, as usual, was unremitting in

his attention to sick and wounded.

I have the honour to enclose a list of the casualties to the Brigade. The loss of the enemy I should roughly estimate at fifty.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) W. HUNT GRUBBE, Captain Commanding Naval Brigade.

To Commodore Hewett, V.C.

Report of Proceedings of Naval Brigade at the Attack on Amoaful on the 31st January.

SIR,

Amoaful, February 18, 1874.

IN compliance with orders, I moved the Naval Brigade yesterday morning from Ahquonknessie to Egginassie in two divisions, the left under the command of Acting Captain Luxmore, and the right, which I accompanied myself, under that of Lieutenant Noel, of Her Majesty's ship "Active."

At 8 A.M., Colonel M'Leod, C.B., who commanded the left rank, directed me to cut through the bush in a line parallel to the Coomassie road. A party of cutters, under Captain Buckle, R.E., assisting, we had cut about forty yards, when a heavy fire was opened by the enemy from the left, and Captain Buckle was mortally wounded. I then commenced cutting to the hill from which the fire came, and succeeded in clearing a space on the top and turning their flank. Major Russell's Regiment then came to our support, and leaving him to guard the flank, which still kept up a heavy fire, I recommenced, by Colonel M'Leod's orders, cutting in a northerly direction, and after about two hours we reached the main road. The same heavy fire was kept up the whole time, and the thickness of the bush was such that at no time during the day could I see our opponents. From 2 P.M. until 5, we lined the road in skirmishing order, occasionally replying to the fire of the Ashantis, who had closed in from the right flank, after the splendid rush of the 42nd had cleared the centre, and were endeavouring to gain the road to Bequoi. I have great pleasure in reporting that the Brigade behaved extremely well.

I enclose, with Captain Luxmoore's report, a list of our casualties.

At 6.15 I marched to Amoaful and billeted the men.

Our entire strength was 200 officers and men. I have, &c.,

(Signed) W. HUNT GRUBBE.

Report of proceedings of Left Wing of Naval Brigade attack on Amoaful.

SIR, February 7, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to give you the following information relative to the proceedings of the wing of the Naval Brigade under my command on 31st January: The wing with the other troops on the right flank of attack, under command of Colonel Wood, V.C., having cut a short distance into the bush, the enemy opened a very heavy fire, which was replied to. Colonel Wood was wounded shortly after the action commenced, and the command of the right flank devolved upon myself.

We had to remain in this one place for some hours, the enemy continuing to pour in a very heavy fire. At last their fire becoming slack, the Engineers cut into the bush and the enemy retreated. I then passed into the main road, and thence I again cut into the bush, 300 yards east, and then due north, so as to reach Amoaful.

In doing this, we passed through a very large encampment, in which the fires were still burning and great quantities of provisions had been left. Having reached the road just below Amoaful, the Brigadier-General ordered me to go on to the village and billet the men.

I need hardly state that all the Officers and men did their duty thoroghly. Dr. Fisher was

unremitting in his attention to the wounded. My best thanks are due to Lieutenant Bell, Royal Engineers, and his men, for the manner in which they carried out their dangerous work of bushcutting under the fire from the enemy.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) PERCY P. LUXMOORE, Acting Captain.

Captain Grubbe, R.N.

Casualties of Royal Naval Brigade at the Battle of Amoaful.

Officers.

Captain Hunt Grubbe, very severely.
Lieutenant McLeod, slightly.
Acting-Lieutenant Maltby, slightly.
Sub-Lieutenant Mundy, very dangerously.
Sub-Lieutenant Rawson, very severely.
Midshipman May, slightly.

Men.

William Havery (? Avery), Private R.M., very severely.

T. Jones, Captain Main-top, very severely. J. Walters, Serjeant R.M., very severely.

G. Alford, A.B., dangerously.

J. Bell, Private R.M., dangerously. J. Leane, Captain F.C., severely.

W. Hart, Leading Seaman, very severely.

J. F. Lemm, A.B., very severely.
J. Murphy, A.B., very dangerously.

J. Sillence, Private R.M., very dangerously.

E. Gilbert, A.B., severely. R. Sykes, A.B., dangerously.

T. Blake, Captain Foretop, very severely.

F. Watson, Signalman, very severely.

D. Driscoe, A.B., very severely.

W. Elkes, Captain Maintop, very severely.

J. Barnes, A.B., very dangerously.

J. Wilson, Boatswain's Mate, severely.

J. Murphy, A B., severely.

D. Gavan, Private R.M., severely.

T. (? W.) Burns, Private R.M., very severely.

T. Colman, Commodore's Domestic, very dangerously.

W. Daw, AB., severely.

W. Bunt, Boatswain's Mate, very severely.

H. Darling, A.B., severely. B. Vivian, A.B., severely.

Detailing proceedings of Naval Brigade on 1st February, 1874, and destruction of Bequoi.

Sir, February 7, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to give you the following information relative to the Naval Brigade under my command on this afternoon.

The brigade was under the orders of Colonel

M'Leod.

We left Amoaful about 1 P.M., to attack the town of Becquay. A company being detached and proceeding in advance with Lord Gifford's scouts and part of Major Russell's Regiment.

The enemy's pickets were soon driven in, the scouts and A Company followed them quickly into the town, where the Ashantis opened fire from the houses. We then closed up and doubled in, and the enemy ran. The Brigade was then disposed around the town to repel any attack while it was being burnt. B Company, on the north entrance, was engaged for a short time, the enemy being in the bush close to. The destruction of the town being completed we returned to Amoaful.

I regret to say that our casualties were, one man killed, one wounded. Lord Gifford informed

me that A Company advanced into the town most gallantly. The whole Brigade did their duty to my entire satisfaction.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) PERCY A. LUXMOORE, Acting Captain.

Captain Hunt W. Grubbe, R.N.

Report of proceedings of the Royal Naval Brigade at the Battle of Dah.

Coomassie, February 3, 1874. Sir.

I HAVE the honour to report that yesterday the Naval Brigade were ordered to join the rear guard during the crossing of the River Dah and subse-

quent movements.

The Rifles, 42nd, and Native Levies were so obstinately opposed that it was not until 12.35 P.M. that the rear guard crossed. Our great object was to get the convoy of provisions and reserve ammunition into the village of Dahsu, held by by the Rifles, but surrounded by the Ashantees, and we succeeded in doing this by 1.15, though heavily attacked. The Naval Brigade then relieved the Rifles, and for two hours held the village, whilst the Rifles followed the 42nd towards Coomassie. At 2.45 the Ashantees retreated, and at 3.30 we reached Coomassie without further opposition.

I beg to enclose a list of the casualties.

Though nothing could have exceeded the good behaviour of the Brigade, both officers and men, I must specially mention that of Doctor Henry Fegan, who, while the rear-guard was being attacked, succeeded in bringing in a wounded Marine at great personal risk.

I have, &c., W. H. GRUBBE, Captain. (Signed)

A NO MINAL LIST of Killed and Wounded belonging to the Royal Naval Brigade, in Action at the Dah, February 4, 1874.

Officer Wounded.

Her Majesty's Ship " Active."

Lieutenant A. B. Crosbie. Royal Marine Light Infantry, left breast; slightly.

Petty Officers, Seaman, and Marine Wounded.

Her Majesty's Ship "Argus."

Thomas Spain. A.B. neck, left side; very severely.

Gunner Matthew McDonald, Marine Artillery, right side of head; mortal.

Her Mojesty's Ship " Active."

Serjeant George Taylor, Marine Artillery, right leg; very severely.

Private John Wills, Marine, right side of head; very severely.

(Signed) H. FEGAN, M.D.

Staff-Surgeon, 2nd Class, in Medical Charge.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 10, 1874.

Foreign Office, March 9, 1874.

HER Majesty's Ambassador at St. Petersburgh has transmitted to the Foreign Office the following notice issued by the Russian

Government, and published in the "Journal de St. Petersbourg" of the $\frac{5}{17}$ th February last, providing for the expulsion from that capital of individuals not having Passports, or who may be provided with Passports of which the term has expired:—

La "Gazette de Police de St. Pétersbourg" publie le règlement provisoire suivant sur l'expulsion de St. Pétersbourg des individus n'ayant pas de passeport ou ayant un passeport périmé,—qui a été sanctionné par S. M. l'Empereur le 4 janvier:

1°. Lorsqu'il est constaté qu'un individu habitant St. Pétersbourg n'a pas de papiers ou a un passeport périmé, la police s'assure de son identité, prend des informations sur son genre de vie, sa profession et sa conduite, et recherche s'il n'a

pas d'antécédents judiciaires.

2°. Si de ces informations il ressort que l'individu sans passe port, reconnu non dangereux par son genre de vie, a pris les mesures en son pouvoir pour obtenir ou renouveler son passeport, mais n'a pas reçu ce passeport, et que ce document ne lui a pas été refusé par l'administration compétente, la police lui délivre un permis temporaire, dont le terme est fixé par le préfet de la ville, sans toutefois pouvoir excéder six mois.

3°. Lorsqu'à l'expiration du permis mentionné à l'article précédent le passeport n'a pas été reçu ou qu'avant ce terme on reçoive avis d'un refus de délivrance du passeport, la police a le droit d'agir conformément aux dispositions de l'art. 1220

du code de procédure criminelle.

4°. Quand les renseignements recueillis par la police constatent que l'individu sans passeport n'a pas pris les mesures nécessaires pour obtenir ou renouveler ses papiers, mais ne présente pas par sa conduite de motif suffisant pour que la prolongation de son séjour dans la capitale soit con-

sidérée comme nuisible, la police agit conformément à l'art. 1220 du code de procédure criminelle et oblige ensuite le contrevenant à demander un passeport, en se réglant à son égard sur les dispositions des art. 2 et 3 du présent règlement.

5°. Si des informations recueillies par la police il résulte que l'individu sans passeport n'a pas de moyens d'existence, qu'il ne travaille pas, et en général a une mauvaise conduite, et qu'il a été condamné pour crimes ou délits contre le gouvernement, l'ordre ou la propriété, la police, sans recourir à une action judiciaire, présente au préfet de St. Pétersbourg un rapport motivé demandant que cet individu soit expulsé de la capitale avec défense d'y résider. En l'absence de l'ensemble des conditions sus-énoncées, la police agit conformément au code de procédure criminelle.

6°. Les rapports mentionnés à l'art. 5 sont examinés par un conseil établi à la préfecture, dont les décisions sont soumises à la sanction du préfet de la capitale dans le mode indiqué par l'art. 10 du règlement de la préfecture pour les affaires relatives à la mise en jugement de fonc-

tionnaires.

7°. En prononçant l'expulsion et l'interdiction de séjour dans la capitale, le conseil détermine la durée de cette interdiction ainsi que le mode d'expulsion, en spécifiant s'il doit être abandonné à l'individu expulsé de quitter lui-même la ville dans un délai donné ou s'il faut recourir à des mesures coercitives; dans ce dernier cas il indique les motifs de l'emploi de ces mesures. Le terme de l'expulsion de la capitale ne doit pas dépasser quatre ans; les mesures coercitives d'expulsion doivent être conformes aux dispositions en vigueur à cet égard.

8°. La décision du conseil, sanctionnée par le préfet de St. Pétersbourg, est notifiée contre reçu à l'individu expulsé et communiquée pour mesures conformes à l'autorité dans le ressort de laquelle est placée l'institution de laquelle dépend la déliv-

rance d'un passeport à cet individu.

9°. Le préfet de St. Petersbourg présente chaque mois au ministère de l'intérieur la liste des individus expulsés de la capitale aux termes des art. 5–8 du présent règlement, en exposant en face de chaque nom les motifs de l'expulsion.

Privy Council Office, March 5, 1874.

This day, the oath of Office of Master of the Horse was taken by the Right Honourable Orlando George Charles, Earl of Bradford.

Windsor Castle, March 2, 1874.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on James Watson, Esq., Lord Provost of Glasgow.

Colonial Office, Downing Street, March 9, 1874.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George.

To be Ordinary Members of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the said Order:—

Sir Henry Barkly, K.C.B., Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of the Cape of Good Hope, in South Africa, with its Territories and Dependencies, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Province of Griqua Land West, and Her Majesty's High Commissioner for the settling and adjustment of the affairs of the Territories adjacent to or contiguous to the Eastern Frontier of the

Cape of Good Hope.

Sir John Peter Grant, K.C.B., late Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief of the Island of Jamaica, with the Territories depending thereon.

To be Ordinary Members of the Second Class. or Knights Commanders of the said Order:—

The Most Honourable the Marquis of Normanby, Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of Queensland.

Sir Alfred Stephen. Knt., C.B., late Chief Justice of the Colony of New South Wales.

Sir James McCulloch, Knt., formerly First Minister of the Colony of Victoria.

John O'Shanassy, Esq., C.M.G., formerly First Minister of the Colony of Victoria.

John Scott. Esq. late Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Colony of British Guiana.

To be Ordinary Members of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Order:—

George Berkeley, Esq., Governor and Commander-in-Chief of Her Majesty's West Africa Settlements.

Major Robert Miller Mundy. Lieutenant-Governor of the Colony of British Honduras.

William Wellington Cairns, Esq., Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Island of Trinidad.

Henry Turner Irving. Esq., Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Leeward Islands.

William Hepturn Rennie, Esq., Lieutenant-Governor of the Island of Saint Vincent.

Whitehall, March 7, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting to the Right Honourable Sir Stafford Henry Northcote, Bart., the offices of Chancellor and Under-Treasurer of Her Majesty's Exchequer.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal appointing the Right Honourable Orlando George Charles, Earl of Bradford, Master of the Horse to

Her Majesty.

The Queen has also been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the office and place of Advocate-General or Judge-Martial of Her Majesty's Forces to the Right Honourable Stephen Cave.

Whitehall, March 9, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal nominating the Venerable John Sutton Utterton, M.A., Archdeacon of Surrey, to be Bishop Suffragan of the See of Guildford.

Downing Street, March 9, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Major-General James Robert Mann to be Director of Roads of the Island of Jamaica, and an Official Member of the Legislative Council of that Island.

Marlborough House, March 10, 1874.

The Prince of Wales has been pleased to appoint Prescott Gardiner Hewett, Esq., to be a Surgeon in Ordinary to His Royal Highness.

(H. 1621.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, March 9, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, stating that a Notice had appeared there in the Official Gazette of the 27th ultimo, declaring the cessation of cholera at Castellamare, and that ships sailing from that port since the 9th of January last, will not be subject to quarantine in Spanish ports.

Admiralty, 9th March, 1874.

Lieutenant John William Ramsay has been promoted to the rank of Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of the 4th instant, in the haul-down promotion of Vice-Admiral Sir Hastings Reginald Yelverton, K.C.B., late Commander-in-Chief of Her Majesty's Ships and Vessels in the Mediterranean.

Admiralty, 6th March, 1874. Royal Naval Artillery Volunteers. London Corps.

The appointment of Mr. Francis Hepburn Chevallier Boutell as a Sub-Lieutenant in the above Corps has been cancelled.

War Office, Pall Mall, 10th March, 1874.

2nd Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant James F. Stuart Menteth to be Captain, vice Herbert William Thompson, deceased. Dated 29th January, 1874.

- 4th Dragoon Guards, Staff Serjeant-Major Joseph Hankins, from the Cavalry Depôt, to be Riding-Master, vice R. G. Nicholas, appointed Lieutenant and Adjutant 1st Dragoon Guards. Dated 11th March, 1874.
- 6th Dragoen Guards, Sub-Lieutenant Thomas Cole Porter to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th February, 1873.
- 2nd Drugoons, Sub-Lieutenant Francis Maitland Philips to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th February, 1872.
- Sub-Lieutenant Charles FitzGerald Watkins to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th March, 1874.
- 6th Dragoons, Sub-Lieutenant Duncan Matheson to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th February, 1872.
- 8th Hussars, Sub-Lieutenant John Rupert Robert Lecky, from the Carlow Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant J. D. P. French, transferred to the 19th Hussars. Dated 11th March, 1874.
- 9th Lancers, Lieutenant Philip Green to be Captain, vice H. B. Gaskell, retired. Dated 25th February, 1874.
- 19th Hussars, Lieutenant John Denton Pinkstone French, from the 8th Hussars, to be Lieutenant in succession to Sub-Lieutenant A. J. Lushington, transferred to the 54th Foot. Dated 11th March, 1874.
- Royal Artillery, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel George Henry Vesey, upon the Supernumerary List, to be Colonel. Dated 11th March, 1874.
- Robinson to be Colonel, vice A. F. F. Lennox, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William Gilly Andrewes to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel Robinson, promoted. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Major Alexander Henry Murray to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice G. A. Milman, who retires upon

half-pay. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Captain and Brevet Major George Arbuthnot to be Major, vice F. A. Mant, deceased. Dated 20th February, 1874.

Captain Richard Sadleir to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant - Colonel Andrewes, promoted.

Dated 11th March, 1874.

Captain William Ruxton Barlow, upon the Supernumerary List, to be Major Dated 11th March, 1874.

Captain Robert Callwell Smith, upon the Supernumerary List, to be Major. Dated 11th

March, 1874.

Captain and Adjutant Charles David Chalmers to be Major, vice Murray, promoted. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Lieutenant Edward Joseph de Lautour (late Bengal), upon the Supernumerary List, to be

Captain. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Lieutenant Alfred Tritton Wintle (late Bengal) to be Captain, vice J. Butchart (late Bengal), placed upon the Retired List. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Lieutenant Harry William Rooke to be Captain, vice Brevet Major Arbuthnot, promoted. Dated

20th February, 1874.

Lieutenant Alexander Murray Brown to be Captain, vice Sadleir, promoted. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Lieutenant William McClintock to be Captain, vice Chalmers, promoted. Dated 11th March,

1874.

Lieutenant Pemberton Harrison to be Captain, vice E. V. Boyle, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Lieutenant Edmond Bainbridge to be Captain, vice C. W. Townsend, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Lieutenant Alfred Edward Turner to be Captain, vice E. Woollcombe, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Lieutenant Henry St. John Cole Bowen to be Captain, vice G. L. Engström, who resigns.

Dated 11th March, 1874.

Captain William Reynolds Stirke to be Adjutant, vice H. F. Phillpotts, who resigns the Adjutancy only. Dated 20th August, 1873.

Captain John Walter Inge to be Adjutant, vice J. M. Murray, who resigns the Adjutancy only.

Dated 22nd February, 1874.

Captain Alexander Murray Brown to be Adjutant, vice C. D. Chalmers, promoted. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Lieutenant Richard Wace, from the Supernumerary List, to be Lieutenant. Dated 11th

March, 1874. Lieutenant Francis Lowry Graves, from the Supernumerary List, to be Lieutenant. Dated

11th March, 1874. Lieutenant William H. Plunket Maquay resigns his Commission. Dated 11th March, 1874.

The entry in the Gazette of the 28th October, 1873, placing Lieutenant J. C. Robinson upon the Seconded List has been cancelled, that Officer having been previously placed thereon, as announced in the Gazette of the 7th October, 1873.

he promotion to Major in the Royal Artillery, of Captain Alexander Dickson Burnaby, which appeared in the Gazette of the 16th July, 1872, has been cancelled, that Officer's appointment as an Assistant-Controller in the Control Department being antecedent thereto.

The undermentioned Gentlemen Cadets to be Lieutenants with temporary rank, viz.:-

Charles Frederick Hadden, vice W. H. F. Sorell, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Wilfrid David Bradley Fenton, vice F. W. Carey,

promoted. Dated 11th March, 1874.

James Milford Sutherland Brunker, vice R. L. Price, appointed to the Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Alexander MacWhirter Renny, vice C. W. E. Murphy, placed upon the Supernumerary List.

Dated 11th March, 1874.

John Chivas Shirres, vice W. H. M. Duthie, promoted. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Henry Vivian Cowan, vice R. G. Fitzgerald,

deccased. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Thomas Tweed Vaughau, vice P. F. M. Baddeley, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Mauley Ogden Hopkins, vice R. H. W. Plunkett, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated

11th March, 1874.

Cyril Henry Rickards, vice H. G. F. Siddons, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Leopold Alfred M'Clintock, vice C. C. Dyce, appointed to the Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 11th

March, 1874.

William Tylden, vice N. Powlett, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Stephen Dickson Rainsford, vice J. S. Biscoe, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Stopford Cosby Hickman, vice J. D. Snodgrass, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated

11th March, 1874.

Arthur Henry Wilford Brett, vice J. J. Congdon, placed upon the Supernumcrary List. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Foster Lionel Cunliffe, vice R. de Marylski, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th

March, 1874.

Terence England Rowan, vice R. Mallock, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th

March, 1874,

John William Marsdin Newton, vice A. L. Pringle, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated

11th March, 1874.

William Hugh Edward Dobie, vice B. C. Graves, appointed to the Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Claude Mason Haggard, vice G. B. N. Martin, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated

11th March, 1874.

Arthur Henry Browne, vice E. R. Elles, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th

March, 1874.

Thomas Wolrich Logan Stansfeld, vice F. R. Ditmas, appointed to the Bengal Staff Corps.

Dated 11th March, 1874.

St. Andrew Bruce Warde, vice E. A. Johnson, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Robert Joynes, vice L. L. Fenton, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th March,

1874.

Edmund George Osborne, vice C. H. H. Mayne, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated

11th March, 1874.

Marcus Beresford, vice E. H. H. Collen, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th March, 1874.

James Blackwood Archdall, vice W. Aitken, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th March, 1874.

David Erskine Dewar, vice J. G. Murray. retired on temporary half-pay. Dated 11th March.

1874.

George Wade Robertson Fulton, vice R. McG. Stewart, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Edward Lawrence Hull, vice C. M. Smith, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 11th

March, 1874.

Thomas Henry Jackson Woodrow, vice J. T. Greenfield, promoted. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Edward Cecil Bethune, vice C. W. Thomson, promoted. Dated 11th March, 1874.

William Howley Beaumont Heygate, vice F. W. Nind, promoted. Dated 11th March, 1874.

- Royal Engineers, Captain Edmund Frederick Du Cane to be removed from the Seconded to the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st April, 1869.
- Major Edmund Frederick Du Cane, C.B., from the Supernumerary List, to be Major, vice J. P. Cox, promoted. Dated 19th October, 1873.
- Major Edmund Frederick Du Cane, C.B., to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 11th December, 1873.
- Major William Crossman to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 11th December, 1873.
- Captain Robert Owen Jones to be Major, vice E. F. Du Cane, C.B. Dated 11th December, 1873.
- Captain Valentine Gardner Clayton to be Major, vice W. Crossman. Dated 11th December, 1873.

- Captain Richard Charles Price is permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 11th March, 1874.
- Lieutenant Jeremy Taylor Marsh to be Captain, vice R. O. Jones. Dated 11th December, 1873.
- Lieutenant Robert John Henry Parker to be Captain, vice V. G. Clayton. Dated 11th December, 1873.

The following Gentlemen Cadets to be Lieutenants, with temporary rank:—

Lovick Bransby Friend. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Gerald Edward Shute. Dated 11th March, 1874. Frederick Rainsford-Hannay. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Herbert de Haga Haig. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Cooper Penrose. Dated 11th March, 1874. John George Day. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Geoffrey Morehead Porter. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Henry Joseph Walker Jerome. Dated 11th March, 1874.

George Kenneth Scott-Moncrieff. Dated 11th March, 1874.

- Grenadier Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Horace Ricardo to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant and Captain A. S. B. Van de Weyer, who resigns that appointment. Dated 11th March, 1874.
- 9th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant William Gibbs Straghan to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th March, 1873.
- 14th Foot, Major James Leyne, from half-pay, late 59th Foot, to be Major, vice J. G. Maycock, promoted half-pay Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 11th March, 1874.

15th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant John Robert Young to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th March, 1872.

17th Foot, Lieutenant Frederick F. Parkinson to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant W. M. Rolph, promoted. Dated 24th January, 1874.

Lieutenant Henry Innes Nares to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant F. F. Parkinson.

Dated 24th January, 1874.

- 22nd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Frederick Edward Charles Henville Gordon-Cumming to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th March, 1872.
- 27th Foot. Quartermaster-Serjeant Charles Brennan to be Quartermaster, vice Jeremiah Hannan, deceased. Dated 11th March, 1874.
- 31st Foot, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William Drummond Scrase Dickins to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel R. J. Eagar, C.B., retired on full-pay. Dated 25th February, 1874.

Captain and Brevet Major George Bayley to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Dickins.

Dated 25th February, 1874.

Lieutenant Rowley Richard Conway Hill to be Captain, vice Brevet Major Bayley. Dated 25th February, 1874.

44th Foot, Lieutenant Charles Hussey Walsh to be Captain, vice R. R. O'Grady, retired. Dated 25th February, 1874.

Sub - Lieutenant Robert Castel Sherard to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th February, 1872.

47th Foot, Captain Benjamin Henry Burge, late half-pay, Adjutant 6th Tower Hamlets Rifle Volunteer Corps, to be Captain, vice J. T. L. Cobham, retired. Dated 11th March, 1874. Lieutenant William Hare Larken to be Captain,

Lieutenant William Hare Larken to be Captain, vice Burge, made Supernumerary whilst holding

- an Adjutancy of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 11th March, 1874.
- 51st Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Charles Edward Wylde Macdonald, from 45th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant R. E. McGillycuddy, retired. Dated 11th March, 1874.
- 54th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Arthur James Lushington, from 19th Hussars, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant J. H. Tarleton, promoted. Dated 11th March, 1874.
- 60/h Foot, Sub Lieutenant Montagu Charles Brudenell Forestier Walker to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th March, 1872.
- 65th Foot, Captain James Browne, about to be appointed to the Militia, retires upon half-pay. Dated 11th March, 1874.
- 85th Foot, Captain Edward Arthur Illingworth retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 11th March, 1874.
- 89th Foot, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Buller Thorp to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel W. Boyle, C.B., deceased. Dated 15th February, 1874.

Captain and Brevet Major Francis Knatchbull to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant - Colonel

Thorp. Dated 15th February, 1874.

- Lieutenant Alfred Godwin Godwin-Austen to be Captain, vice Brevet Major Knatchbull. Dated 15th February, 1874.
- 92nd Foot, The surname of the Lieutenant appointed from the Highland Light Infantry Militia, in the Gazette of 27th ult., is Kinloch, and not Kinloch, as therein stated.
- 94th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Charles Alfred Grubb from 15th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant G. M. Gaskell, retired. Dated 11th March, 1874.

- 98th Foot, Lieutenant Rupert Caradoc Francis Dallas to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant A. H. A. Gordon, promoted in 84th Foot. Dated 11th March, 1874.
- 99th Foot, Captain Alexander Gray retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 11th March, 1874.
- 104th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Charles James Butler to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th March, 1872.
- 107th Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel Cooper M. N. Fellowes retires upon a pension. Dated 11th March, 1874.
- Rifle Brigade, Sub-Lieutenant the Honourable Otway Frederick Seymour Cuffe to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th March, 1872.
- 2nd West India Regiment, Serjeant-Major Patrick Kelly to be Quartermaster, vice J. B. Harper, retired on temporary half-pay. Dated 11th March, 1874.
- Army Service Corps, Assistant Commissary John Moorehouse to be Riding Master. Dated 11th March, 1874.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

To be Surgeons-Major.

Surgeon Edward Litton Low, M.B., vice Edward William Young, M.D., retired upon temporary half-pay. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Surgeon Thomas Murtagh, vice Samuel Handy Halahan, M.D. retired upon temporary half-

pay. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Surgeon John Greig, M.B., vice William Kippen Stewart, M.D., deceased. Dated 11th March, 1874.

To be Surgeons.

George Thomas Langridge, Gent. Dated 30th September, 1873.

Breame Weston Fowler, Gent. Dated 30th

September, 1873.

William Edward Webb, M.B. Dated 30th September, 1873.

Reginald William Mapleton, M.B. Dated 30th

September, 1873.
Oswald Gillespie Wood, M.D. Dated 30th September, 1873.

William Launcelotte Gubbins, M.B.

30th September, 1873. Richard Gillham Thomsett, Gent. Dated 30th September, 1873.

Peter John McQuaid, M.D. Dated 30th Sept-

ember, 1873.

Francis Henry Spencer, M.B. Dated 30th September, 1873.

James Ring, M D. Dated 30th September, 1873.

VETERINARY DEPARTMENT.

William Oliver, Gent., to be Veterinary-Surgeon, on probation, in succession to Acting Veterinary-Surgeon B. A. W. Powell, promoted. Dated 11th March, 1874.

HALF-PAY.

Lieutenant Henry William Pollard, from the 2nd West India Regiment, to be Captain. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Lieutenant William Thornhill Blois, from the 14th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 11th March, 1874.

BREVET.

Colonel Augustus Frederick Francis Lennox, retired full-pay, Royal Artillery, to have the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel M. N. Fellowes, 107th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Colonel upon retiring on a pension. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Captain Henry Eyre Wyatt Lane, Retired, Royal Marine Light Infantry, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 11th March, 1874.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 19th February, 1874, of Lieutenant-General Sir Sydney John Cotton, G.C.B., Colonel of the 10th Foot, and Governor of Chelsea Hospital:—

Major-General John Parson Westropp, Captain, half-pay Unattached, to have the rank of Lieutenant-General. Dated 20th February, 1874.

Major-General Edward Darvall, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 20th

February, 1874.

Brevet Colonel John Williams Reynolds, from Major, half-pay, late 11th Dragoons, to be Major-General, dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back-pay prior to 20th February, 1874.

Major Peter Henry Scratchley, Royal Engineers, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 20th Febru-

ary, 1874.

Captain Reginald Whitting, 8th Foot, to be Major. Dated 20th February, 1874.

The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service to be Colonels:—

Lieutenant-Colonel William Abercrombie Dick, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 10th June, 1873.

Lieutenant-Colonel Herbert Henderson James, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 13th September, 1873.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Tisdall Annesley, Bom-

bay Staff Corps (since deceased.) Dated 15th

October, 1873.

Lieutenant-Colonel Walter Rathborne Lambert, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 9th December, 1873.

Lieutenant Colonel John Frederick Lester, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 9th December, 1873.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Newdick Miller, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 9th December, 1873.

Lieutenant-Colonel Evelyn Waddington, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 9th December, 1873.

Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Mackay Maekenzie, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 9th December, 1873.

Lientenant-Colonel Charles Irvine, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 9th December, 1873.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry King, Bengal Staff

Corps. Dated 10th December, 1873.

Lieutenant - Colonel Henry Hilhouse Firth, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 10th December, 1873.

Lieutenant-Colonel Alfred Beeher, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 22nd December, 1873.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Bagot, 69th Foot. Dated 3rd February, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Andrew Nugent, 2nd Dragoons. Dated 3rd February, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Fisher Hamilton, 4th Foot. Dated 27th February, 1874.

MEMORANDA.

Paymaster and Honorary Captain Archibald Cochrane Forster, from half-pay, late Ceylon Rifle Regiment, to be Paymaster for Army services. Dated 1st March, 1874.

Honorary Deputy Surgeon-General Charles Hamilton Fasson, Surgeon-Major, half-pay, has been permitted to commute his retired allowance.

Dated 31st January, 1874.

India Office, 9th March, 1874.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following Admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India:—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Charles Edgeworth Gubbins, 106th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant.

Lieutenant Henry Frederick Varden Gaitskell, 10th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Thomas Robert Matheson Macpherson, 109th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871. Lieutenant George Cadell Dobbs, 10th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Northumberland, and the Town and County of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

Charles Frederic Hamond, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 27th February, 1874.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 13. 1874.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, March 13, 1874.

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Thursday, the 26th of March next, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to His Royal Highness at this Levee shall be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her Majesty.

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEVEE TO BE HELD BY HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES, ON BEHALF OF HER MAJESTY, AT ST. JAMES'S PALACE.

By Her Majesty's Command.

The Noblemen and Gentlemen, who propose to attend Her Majesty's Levee, at St. James's Palace, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names clearly written thereon, one to be left with The Queen's Page in Attendance, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to His Royal Highness.

PRESENTATIONS.

Any Nobleman or Gentleman who proposes to be presented, must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, before twelve o'clock, two clear days before the Levee, a card with his name written thereon, and with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman by whom he is to oe presented. In order to carry out the existing regulation that no presentation can be made at a Levee excepting by a person actually attending that Levee, it is also necessary that an intimation from the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to make the presentation, of his intention to be present, should accompany the presentation card above referred to, which will be submitted to The Queen for Her Majesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's command that no presentations shall be made at the Levee, except in accordance with the above regulations.

It is particularly requested, that in every case the names be very distinctly written upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing

them to His Royal Highness.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at one o'clock.

HERTFORD, Lord Chamberlain.

Windsor Castle, March 11, 1874.

THIS day had audience of Her Majesty:-

Señor Gutierrez, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from the Republic of Costa Rica, to deliver a Letter recalling Señor Fernandez, and his own Credentials;

To which audience he was introduced by the Earl of Derby, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs.

Whitehall, March 4, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to grant the office of Solicitor-General for Scotland to John Millar, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel.

Whitehall, March 10, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Dudley Francis Stuart Ryder (commonly called Viscount Sandon) to be Vice-President of the Committee of Council on Education.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Dudley Francis Stuart Ryder (commonly called Viscount Sandon) to be Fourth Charity Commissioner for England and Wales.

Whitehall, March 11, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint George Cubitt, Esq., to be Second Church Estates Commissioner, in the room of Sir Thomas Dyke Acland, Bart., resigned.

Buckingham Palace, March 9, 1874.

Her Royal Highness the Princess Louise, Marchioness of Lorne, has been pleased to appoint Captain Frederick Campbell to be Equerry to Her Royal Highness.

Whitehal', March 7, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Sir Arthur James Price, of Spring Grove, in the parish of Richmond, in the county of Surrey, and of Princes-terrace, in the district of All Saints, 1874.

Knightsbridge, in the county of Middlesex, Bart., her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may take and henceforth use the surname of Rugge in addition to and before that of Price; and that he and they may bear the arms of Rugge quarterly with those of his and their own family, such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said

College of Arms.

Whitehall, March 7, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Charles Aubrey Ricketts, of Dorton House, in the parish of Dorton, in the county of Buckingham, Esquire, eldest son and heir of Charles Spencer Ricketts, late of Dorton House aforesaid, Esquire, in the Commission of the Peace for the said county of Buckingham, by Elizabeth Sophia, his wife, only surviving child and heir of Thomas Aubrey, Esquire, formerly a Colonel in the Army, and Representative in Parliament for the borough of Wallingford, the brother of Sir John Aubrey, late of Dorton House aforesaid, Baronet. all deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a direction contained in the last will and testament of the said Sir John Aubrey, Baronet, take and henceforth continue to use the surname of Aubrey only in lieu and instead of his and their surname of Ricketts, and that he and they may bear the arms of Aubrey quarterly with those of his and their own family; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

(H. 1671.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, March 11, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Antwerp, stating that a quarantine of three days is imposed at that place on all vessels arriving from Buenos Ayres which sailed thence since the 29th December last.

> War Office, Pall Mall, 13th March, 1874.

ROYAL HOSPITAL, CHELSEA.

General Sir Patrick Grant, G.C.B., G.C.M.G., to be Governor, vice Lieutenant-General Sir Sydney John Cotton, G.C.B., deecased. Dated 20th February, 1874.

War Office, 13th March, 1874.

MILITIA.

Royal Berks.

Lieutenant John Owen Desborough resigns his Commission. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Royal Bucks.

Lieutenant Giles Vandeleur Creagh resigns his Commission. Dated 14th March, 1874.

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Royal Carmarthen Artillery.

Lieutenant William Francis David Saunders resigns his Commission. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Royal Cumberland.

The Honourable Hugh Cecil Lowther to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th March, 1874.

2nd or South Devon.

Lieutenant Edward Henry French resigns his Commission. Dated 14th March, 1874.

West Essex.

Lieutenant Thomas Coke Burnell resigns his Commission. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Captain. and Adjutant Robert Otho Travers resigns his Commission, and is placed on a retired allowance, also is granted the honorary rank of Major, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Royal North Gloucester.

Lieutenant Frederic William Platt to be Captain, vice Milward, resigned. Dated 14th March, 1874.

East Kent.

Percy Edward Sankey, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 14th March, 1874.

West Kent.

Edward Arthur Christopher Hosmer, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Kent Artillery.

Captain John Kirkpatrick resigns his Commission, also is granted the honourary rank of Major,

and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Lieutenant Henry James Burford-Hancock to be Captain, vice Kirkpatrick who resigns. Dated 14th March, 1874.

5th Royal Lancashire.

Assistant-Surgeon George Smirthwaite resigns his Commission. Dated 14th March, 1874.

7th Royal Lancashire.

William Henry Sherwood, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Royal Lancashire Artillery.

Bernard Hamilton Gunston, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 14th March, 1874.

Royal South Lincoln.

Captain Joseph Hurton Barker resigns his Commission. Dated 14th March, 1874.

2nd Middlesex or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment.

Captain Kenneth Ronald Montgomery resigns his Commission. Dated 14th March, 1874.

3rd Middlesex or Royal Westminster.

Thomas Knapp, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 14th March, 1874.

Royal Pembroke Artillery.

Burnet George Rind, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th March, 1874.

1st Somerset.

Lieutenant Theophilus Pym Hillcoat to be Captain, vice Warry, resigned. Dated 14th March. 1874.

John Warre Malet. Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th March. 1874.

3rd (King's Own) Stafford.

William Swynnerton Byrd Levett, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 14th March, 1574.

2nd Royal Surrey.

Captain and Honorary Major John Richard Molineux, resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Royal Wiltshire.

Wadham Locke, late Lieutenant 94th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 14th March, 1874.

4th West York.

William Henry Gott, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th March, 1874.

6th West York.

Lieutenant Cosmo Gordon Howard resigns his Commission. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Edinburgh Artillery.

Lieutenant William Brodrick Cloeté resigns his Commission. Dated 14th March, 1874.

The Highland Light Infantry.

John Gillanders Inglis, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 14th March, 1874.

Royal Perth.

Lieutenant Adam Murray to be Captain, vice Mercer, resigned. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Roscommon.

Major Robert Henry French to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Tenison, resigned. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Theophilus Bolton French, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 14th

March, 1874.

North Cork.

Major Robert Deane Perry is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 14th March, 1874.

South Cork.

Charles Mark Allanson Winn, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 14th March, 1874.

Royal Cork City Artillery.

Captain and Honorary Major Richard Beare Tooker resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Captain and Honorary Major Richard Boyle Robinson resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retire-

ment. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Royal South Down.

John Mowbray Hall, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Royal Dublin City.

Lieutenant William Jackson Oughton Giles to be Captain, vice Smyth, promoted. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Limerick County.

The Honourable Harry de Vere Pery to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th March, 1874.

North Mayo.

Charles Henry Plunkett Dunne, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutcnant (Supernumerary). Dated 14th March, 1874.

Sligo.

Arthur Eilard Hawkesworth Moore, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 14th March, 1874.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Essex.

Captain Thomas Duff Cater to be Major, vice Sandeman, promoted. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Warwickshire.

Major Henry Christopher Wise resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Lieutenant Edward Allesley Boughton Ward Boughton Leigh resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Surrey.

The Right Honourable William Hillier, Earl of Onslow, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 9th March, 1874.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 17, 1874.

War Office, March 16, 1874.

THE Secretary of State for War has received Despatches and Enclosures, of which the following are copies, from Major-General Sir Garnet Joseph Wolseley, K.C.M.G., C.B., Commanding the Troops on the Gold Coast:—

Government House, Cape Coast, February 20, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to enclose the following Despatches:—

1. Colonel M'Leod, C.B., 42nd Highlanders, reporting the reconnaissance made by him and the force under his command, against the village of Borborassie, on the 29th ultimo.

2. Brigadier-General Sir A. Alison, C.B., reporting the attack made by him upon Becquah on the 1st instant, the defeat of the enemy, and the

destruction of the town.

SIR,

3. Captain A. W. Duncan, R.A., and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Colley, 2nd Queen's reporting the repulse of an attack made upon Fommanah by

the Ashantis, on the 2nd instant.

My best thanks are due to Brigadier-General Sir A. Alison and to Colonel M'Leod, for the excellent manner in which they carried out the operations entrusted to them; and to Captain Duncan and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Colley for their energetic defence of the post of Fommannah.

I have, &c., G. J. WOLSELEY, Major-General.

The Right Honourable
The Secretary of State for War,
War Office, London.

Camp Quar-Man, January, 30, 1874.

Sir, January, 30, 1874. IN compliance with the instructions received, I marched yesterday, with the force noted in the margin,* to reconnoitre the village of Borborassie, situated on our left flank, and said to contain a large body of the enemy under Essimanquatia, and other Ashanti chiefs.

Striking into the bush path at 8.15 A.M., we marched W.S.W., and at 11 A.M. arrived before the place, taking it quite by suprise. The Ashantis, driven out of the village by our advance, took to the bush on all sides; a party of them came back upon our left flank, and fired on the Naval Brigade. This attack was brushed away with a few rounds of ammunition.

The village was immediately in our possession,

but not without loss on our side.

List of casualties enclosed.

Captain Nicol, commanding the Anamaboe Company of Russell's Regiment, was killed leading his men, with the devotion of a English gentleman, round the right flank of the village.

^{* 23}rd R.W. Fusiliers, 1 Field Officer, 79 non commissioned Officers and men;—Naval Brigade, 14 Officers, 24 petty Officers and non-commissioned Officers, 195 msn;—Rait's Artillery, 2 Rocket Detachments under Lieutenant Knox, R.A.;—Anamaboe Company, 1 European Officer, 57 men.

I estimate the killed of the enemy at 50. Fifty-three Ashanti muskets were collected.

Twelve kegs of powder, and the umbrella of Essimanquatia were found in the village.

It seems this old ehief ran away just before

the attack, and so narrowly escaped capture.

The troops after their long march were halted in the village for one hour and refreshed themselves from their havresacks before commencing the return march. On our return the Blue-jackets formed the rear guard. Before quitting the village they broke up the arms which were taken, and blew up the powder.

As soon as ever the Ashantis, lying perdu in the bush, discovered that we had gone, they returned to the village with shouting and blowing

of horns.

Presently a body of them came down upon the rear guard and opened fire; the Blue-jackets calmly faced about, and poured amongst them such a fire of Snider bullets as sufficed to rid us of their presence for the rest of the day.

The troops arrived at their camp at Kiang

Booasu at 4 P.M.

The discipline and conduct of the Blue-jackets, under Captain Grubbe R.N., who formed the advance and afterwards the rear guard merited my special commendation.

Captain Wood, A.D.C. to the Major-General, accompanied me and did good service; after the loss of Captain Nicol, I placed him in command

of the Anamaboes.

I would desire to aeknowledge to the Major-General the valuable services rendered by my Staff Officer, Captain Farquharson, V.C., in carrying out all the staff arrangements, which he did to my complete satisfaction. Lieutenant Wauchope, 42nd, was with me throughout the

day as my Orderly Officer. My thanks are also due to Lieutenant-Colonel Mostyn, 23rd Royal Welsh Fusiliers, who was present with the men of his regiment engaged.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) J. C. M'LEOD, Colonel, Commanding 42nd Royal Highlanders.

The Chief of the Staff, &c. &c. &c.

Camp, Royal Naval Brigade, Medowma, January 29, 1874.

I.IST of Killed and Wounded of Royal Naval Brigade.

Killed.

One man, Fantee carrier, wound of chest.

Wounded.

One petty officer, wound of head; very severe.
One petty officer, wound of chest; very severe.
One petty officer, wound of leg; slight.
One marine, burnt by explosion of gunpowder; severe.

Anamaboe Company, Major Russell's Regiment.

Killed.

Captain Nicol, wound of neck and chest. One man, wound of head.

Wounded.

One man, abdomen; dangerously. One man, arm; severe,

One man, back; severe.

(Signed) H. FEGAN, M.D., Staff Surgeon, R.N. All the wounded are now under my care, and are comfortably provided for.

(Signed) H. FEGAN, M.D.

To Brigadier-Colonel
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M'Leod, C.B., the Front.

SIR, Amoaful, February 1, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to report to you for the information of His Excellency the Major-General Commanding, that in compliance with instructions received from him, I this day proceeded in charge of the troops, as per margin,* to destroy the village

of Becqua.

The force was divided into an advanced guard and main body. The advanced guard was under the command of Colonel M'Leod, C.B., 42nd Royal Highlanders, and consisted of the Naval Brigade, a gun and rocket trough, Rait's Artillery, Russell's Regiment, Lord Gifford's Guides, and a detachment of Major Home's Engineers. The main body, which I retained under my own direction, consisted of the 23rd Fusiliers and companies 42nd Highlanders.

I entrusted the entire arrangements for the attack on the village to Colonel M'Leod with the advanced guard, merely following myself with the

main body in reserve.

Colonel M'Leod's arrangements met with my entire approbation, and the attack on and capture of the village was effected with his usual ability and vigour.

^{*} Naval Brigade—Detachment of Rait's Artillery;—Detachment of Home's Engineers:—Detachment 23rd Royal Welsh Fusiliers;—5 Companies 42nd Highlanders;—Russell's Regiment;—Lord Gifford's Guides.

He executed it entirely with his own force, and I did not require to support him with any part of the reserve.

I enclose his despatch in which the full particu-

lars are given.

When the village was fully in flames, I occupied the entrance and eastern portion of it with the Detachment 23rd and 3 Companies 42nd Highlanders. Through these I withdrew the whole of the advanced guard, except Rait's Artillery, which I retained.

When they were well clear of the village 1 filed off 23rd, Detachment Rait's Artillery, and 3 Com-

panics 42nd.

The Ashantis in small numbers beginning to drop in to the village, and threatening to harass the rear guard, I kept a Company of the 42nd concealed behind some houses at an angle of the main street. When a considerable number of the enemy had entered and were crossing the street, I wheeled up the Company and dispersed them with a few volleys. I then withdrew quietly from the village, and my return to camp was entirely unmolested by the enemy.

My best thanks are due to Colonel M'Leod for the very able manner in which the capture and

destruction of the village was executed.

In addition to the Officers mentioned in his despatch, I must mention the perfect satisfaction afforded to me by the way in which the dispositions for the evacuation of the village were carried out by Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable S. Mostyn, Commanding 23rd Detachment, and Major Scott, 42nd flighlanders, who had the particular direction of the withdrawal of the rear guard.

My best thanks are still further due to Captain Robinson, my Brigade Major, Captain Russell, my Aide-de-Camp, and Lieutenant Fitzgerald, my extra Aide-de-Camp, for the indefatigable way in which they carried out the staff duties.

Colonel M'Leod encloses a list of the casualties

in the expedition.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) A. ALISON, Brigadier-General, Commanding Forces.

The Chief of the Staff, Head Quarters.

Fommanah,

Sir, February 2, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to report that this morning, at about 8.30 A.M., this post was attacked

in considerable force by the enemy.

The attack continued until 1.30 P.M., when he was finally driven back. The force* at my disposal here consisted of half a company of the 1st West India Regiment, I company (Mumford's) Russell's Regiment, a few convalescents, and Captain North, 47th Regiment, Transport Officer.

I have to report that great exertions were made by the Officers, especially by Captain Grant, 6th Regiment; and I have also to report the good behaviour of the 1st West India Regiment, and also of the men of Russell's Regiment under the circumstances.

Captain North, 47th Regiment, was, I regret to say, severely wounded when leading a recon-

^{*} Force at Fommanah:—Captain C. B. Steward, Sub-Lieutenant Hughes and 38 Non-Commissioned Officers and Men of the 1st West India Regiment.—Captain Grant, 6th Regiment, and 102 (Mumford's Compant) of Russell's Regiment.—Captain North, 47th Regiment, Officer o' Transport.—Surgeons Moore, Supple, and Catherwood.—6 of Naval Brigade, 1 Marine, 11 of 42nd Regiment, and 6 of Rifle Brigade, convalescents.—Assistant Paymaster Ward and Sub-Assistant Commissary Hamilton, Control.

naissance to discover the enemy's position before the commencement of the action.

The convalescents afforded most valuable assistance. Annexed is a list of the wounded.

The greater part of this village was destroyed for the purposes of defence.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) A. W. DUNCAN, Captain, Royal Artillery.

The Chief of the Staff, Head Quarters.

P.S.—Lieutenant-Colonel Colley arrived towards the close of the attack and took command, but has requested me to report what took place.

LIST of Wounded.

Severely.

Captain Dudley North, 47th Regiment.
Private Macarthur, 42nd Regiment, convalescent
3 Privates (Mumford's Company) Russell's Regiment.

Slightly.

Captain A. W. Duncan, Royal Artillery.
Corporal Barnes, Army Service Corps.
Private MacHenry, 42nd Regiment, convalescent
Private Chapman, Rifle Brigade, convalescent.
Private Masco, 1st West India Regiment.
Private Crutchley, 1st West India Regiment.
Private Coggin, 1st West India Regiment.
Private Barnet, 1st West India Regiment.
Private Campbell, 2nd West India Regiment.

Fommanah, February 2, 2.30 P.M.

CHIEF OF THE STAFF.

ON arrival at Ahkankuassie last night, I found convoy of 90 men; they had been delayed by

being fired on on the road, losing one carrier killed and three wounded.

On arrival here this morning I found this place warmly attacked on all sides; the Ashantis had penetrated into the long, straggling village, which was not in a state of defence, and set it on fire; we have now cleared the greater part of the village, preserving the Hospital and the Store enclosed. A good many slight casualties—Captain North severely wounded, a sailor dangerously, Captain Duncan slightly, many of the black troops and native levies slightly. Difficult to judge of the number of the Ashantis; they attack on all sides, and occasional ones creep boldly into the village, but generally keep under cover of the thick bush, which in places comes close to the houses. The firing ceased about 1 P.M., but on a party going down for water an hour later they were hotly fired on. Post carrier in with an escort, fired upon, but without effect. I shall probably make a start to-night. No chance of moving any convoys from here just at present.

(Signed) G. POMEROY COLLEY, Lieutenant-Colonel.

War Office, March 17, 1874.

ERRATUM.

The name of Lieutenant A. Saunders, Royal Artillery, referred to in the Despatch of Major-General Sir Garnet Wolseley of the 5th February, 1874, which was published in the Supplement to the London Gazette of the 6th instant, should be Lieutenant (now Captain) J. M. Saunders, Royal Artillery.

1874.

Whitehall, March 16, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baron of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the Right Honourable John Wilson Patten, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the name, style, and title of Baron Winmarleigh, of Winmarleigh, in the county palatine of Lancaster.

Whitehall, March 17, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Knight of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto John Smale, Esq, Chief Justice of the Colony of Hong Kong.

Whitehall, March 17, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, being one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, an Ecclesiastical Commissioner for England.

Downing Street, March 14, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments:—

Sir William Grey, K.C.S.I., to be Captain-General and Governor-in-Chief of the Island of Jamaica, and its Dependencies;

James Robert Longden, Esq., C.M.G., to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the

Colony of British Guiana;

William Wellington Cairns, Esq., C.M.G., to be Governor and Commander-in-Chief of the Island of Trinidad and its Dependencies: Francis Snowden, Esq., to be Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Hong

Kong;

George Phillippo, Esq., to be Senior Puisne Judge, and Theodore Thomas Ford, Esq., to be Junior Puisne Judge of the Supreme Court of the Straits Settlements; and

George Hurley Barne, Esq., to be Attorney-

General for the Island of Jamaica.

Crown Office, March 16, 1874.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

City of Chichester.

The Honourable Henry George Charles Gordon Lennox (commonly called Lord Henry George Charles Gordon Lennox), First Commissioner of Her Majesty's Works and Public Buildings.

Borough of Liverpool.

The Right Honourable Dudley Francis Stuart Ryder (commonly called Viscount Sandon), Vice-President of the Committee of Privy Council for Education.

Borough of New Shoreham.

The Right Honourable Stephen Cave, Her Majesty's Judge Advocate-General and Paymaster-General.

University of Oxford.

The Right Honourable Gathorne Hardy, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

Borough of Huntingdon.

Sir John Burgess Karslake, Knt., Her Majesty's Attorney-General.

Universities of Glasgow and Aberdeen.

Edward Strathearn Gordon, the Right Honourable the Lord Advocate of Scotland, Queen's Counsel, and Doctor of Laws.

Mid Surrey.

Sir Richard Baggallay, Knt., Her Majesty's Solicitor-General.

County of Southampton.

Northern Division.

The Right Honourable George Sclater-Booth, President of the Local Government Board.

Borough of Portsmouth.

Sir James Dalrymple Horn Elphinstone, Bart., one of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

County of Lincoln.

Northern Division.

Rowland Winn, Esq., one of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

March 17.

College of the Holy Trinity, Dublin.

The Right Honourable John Thomas Ball, Her Majesty's Attorney-General for Ireland.

County of Gloucester.

Eastern Division.

The Right Honourable Sir Michael Edward Hicks Beach, Bart., Chief Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland.

County of Monmouth.

The Right Honourable Henry Richard Charles Somerset (commonly called Lord Henry Richard Charles Somerset), Controller of Her Majesty's Household.

(H. 1809.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, March 17, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Syra, stating that he had received information from the Nomarch of the Cyclades to the effect, that in consequence of cholera having made its appearance in towns on the Italian coast, the Hellenic Government has put arrivals from Barazza, Maneglia, Levanto, Sestri, and Spezzia in quarantine for eleven days (as infected with cholera), from the 1st ultimo, to be performed at the lazaretto at Delos, and those from Genoa on account of the communication with the said places, in quarantine of observation for five days from the same date, to be performed in all harbours where a health office of any class exists.

(H. 1809.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, March 17, 1874.

'THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Athens, stating that, by a Royal Ordinance, and on account of cholera having made is appearance in certain towns and villages on the Italian coast, arrivals in Greek ports from Genoa have been subjected to a quarantine of observation of five days, and those from Barazza, Maneglia, Levanto, and Spezzia to an effective quarantine of eleven days.

Admiralty, 13th March, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Surgeon John Whyte, M.D., has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Admiralty, 14th March, 1874.

The Reverend Eugene Sullivan has this day been appointed Chaplain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 16th March, 1874.

The undermentioned Officers have been this day promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon of the Second Class in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

William Redmond.
James Bradley.
Robert Nelson.
William James Thomason.
Benjamin Holmes McCurdy.

War Office, Pall Mall, 17th March, 1874.

- 5th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Sub-Lieutenant Frederick Augustus Cracroft-Amcotts to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th February, 1872.
- 2nd Dragoons, Lieutenant William Francis Firmstone resigns his Commission. Dated 18th March, 1874.
- 4th Hussars, Quartermaster Michael Carey retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 18th March, 1874.

12th Lancers, Captain Joseph Henderson retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 18th March, 1874.

Royal Artillery, The following Veterinary Surgeons on probation to be Veterinary Surgeons:—John Burton. Dated 14th June, 1873.

John Prosser Adams. Dated 14th June, 1873.

Matthew Clayton Mitchell. Dated 14th June, 1873.

Seaward Longhurst. Dated 14th June, 1873. Frank Fairbairn Crawford. Dated 14th June, 1873.

- 3rd Foot, Serjeant-Major Timothy Cleary to be Quartermaster, vice G. Pittendrigh, retired on half-pay. Dated 18th March, 1874.
- 9th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Richard Luttrell Pilkington Bethell to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th March, 1872.
- 11th Foot, Lieutenant Godfrey C. Kynnersley Baldwin retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 18th March, 1874.
- Henry Wickham, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. B. St. John, retired. Dated 18th March, 1874.
- 12th Foot, Lieutenant James Smith Gibb retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 18th March, 1874.
- 13th Foot, Captain Francis Glasse Marshall retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 18th March, 1874.
- 16th Foot, The Honourable Harry Tyrwhitt Tyrwhitt to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant E. H. Townshend, deceased. Dated 18th March, 1874.

- 17th Foot, Martin Hunter, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant in succession to Lieutenant Francis E. K. Bird retired. Dated 18th March, 1874.
- Manley Kingsmill Manley Power, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant W. M. Rolph, promoted. Dated 18th March, 1874.
- 18th Foot, George Cosmo Abercromby, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant A. J. A. Jackson, promoted. Dated 18th March, 1874.
- 24th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Edgar Oliphant Anstey to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th March, 1873.
- 31st Foot, Alwyne Frederick Compton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant D. D. Chadwick, promoted. Dated 18th March, 1874.
- 32nd Foot, The third Christian name of Captain John George Stopford is Beresford.
- 33rd Foot, Francis Lloyd, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. O. Bristowe, resigned. Dated 18th March, 1874.
- 36th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Francis Seymour Allen to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th March, 1872.
- 49th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Frank Montagu Rundall to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th March, 1872.
- 52nd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Hector Edmond Monro, from the 54th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant J. Johnstone, promoted. Dated 18th March, 1874.
- 54th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Harold Arthur Deane, from the 98th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice H. E. Monro, transferred to the 52nd Foot. Dated 18th March, 1874.
- 58th Foot, Sub Lieutenant Granville Henry

- Jackson Alexander, to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th March, 1872.
- 64th Foot, John Hunter Reynolds, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice the Honourable T. Lister, transferred to the Rifle Brigade. Dated 18th March, 1874.
- 65th Foot, The promotion of Quartermaster-Serjeant George Collins, to be Quartermaster, to be antedated to the 26th July, 1873.
- 67th Foot, Lieutenant Edward Henry Le Marchant, from the 41st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice R. E. C. Jarvis, promoted. Dated 18th March, 1874.
- 68th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Benjamin Briscoe to be Lieutenant, dated 24th September, 1873, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to bear date 9th March, 1872.
- 80th Foot, The promotion of Sub-Lieutenant Légh Hoskins Master to Lieutenant, dated 14th February, 1872, which was notified in the Gazette of the 24th February, 1874, is cancelled.
- Sub-Lieutenant Legh Hoskins Master resigns his Commission. Dated 18th March, 1874.
- 85th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Christopher Douglas Fisher Hamilton, from the 80th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant the Honourable E. A. H. A'Court, promoted. Dated 18th March, 1874.
- 90th Foot, Robert Cutlar-Fergusson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant W. F. Wilson, promoted. Dated 18th March, 1874.
- 91st Foot, Lieutenant Charles Algernon Hearle Bishop-Culpeper retires from the Service, re-

ceiving the value of his Commission. Dated 18th March, 1874.

96th Foot, George Vere Boyle, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to A. C. G. Leman, promoted. Dated 18th March, 1874.

Josceline FitzRoy Bagot, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant T. J. M. Dunlop, deceased. Dated 18th March, 1874.

- 99th Foot, Lieutenant George Arthur Wayman to be Captain, vice Alexander Gray, retired. Dated 11th March, 1874.
- 106th Foot, Lieutenant Markham Robinson Kittoe retires from the Service. Dated 18th March, 1874.
- 107th Foot, Major David Blair Lockhart to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice C. M. N. Fellowes, retired on a pension. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Captain Edmund Ward, from the Supernumerary List, to be Major, vice Lockhart. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Rifle Brigade, Lieutenant the Honourable Thomas Charles Scott to be Captain, vice George Lightfoot Huyshe, deceased. Dated 20th January, 1874.

CONTROL DEPARTMENT.

Controller William Henry Maturin, to retired pay. Dated 16th March, 1874.

Deputy Controller Henry Tatum, C.B., to be Controller, vice Maturin. Dated 16th March, 1874.

Assistant Controller Charles Palmer, to be Deputy-Controller, vice H. Tatum, C.B. Dated 16th March, 1874.

Commissary H. C. Lewis, to be Assistant-Controller, vice Palmer. Dated 16th March, 1874.

For Acting Assistant - Controller Alexander Dickson Burnaby, from Major Royal Artillery, to be Assistant-Controller, dated 17th October, 1871, as stated in the Gazette of 18th November, 1873, read Acting Assistant-Controller Alexander Dickson Burnaby, from Captain Royal Artillery. &c.

Supply and Transport Sub-Department, Deputy-Commissary R. L. Matthews to be Commissary (Supernumerary), vice Lewis. Dated 16th

March, 1874.

Sub-Assistant Commissary H. W. W. Spooner resigns his appointment, and reverts to halfpay as Lieutenant, late of 11th Foot. Dated 18th March, 1874.

African Branch, Deputy-Commissary Martin Day Sayers retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 27th February, 1874.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon-Major Thomas Carey retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 6th February, 1874.

Surgeon George Park, M.D., to be Surgeon-Major, vice Thomas Carey, retired upon temporary half-pay. Dated 18th March, 1874.

BREVET.

The second Christian name of H. B. Savory, Adjutant, Royal London Militia, who was granted the temporary rank of Captain in the Army whilst serving as Adjutant of the Auxiliary Forces, in the Gazette of the 24th February, 1874, is *Browne*, and not *Browrie*, as then stated.

The temporary rank of Captain in the Army, whilst serving as an Adjutant of the Auxiliary Forces, conferred upon James Nicol, Adjutant Hampshire Militia, in the Gazette of the 24th

February, 1874, to be cancelled, that Officer having previously been killed in action.

The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service to be Colonels:—

Lieutenant-Colonel De Symons Barrow, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 28th December, 1873.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Roper Boswall, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 28th December, 1873.

Licutenant-Colonel James Davidson, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 28th December, 1873.

Lieutenant - Colonel George Towers Hilliard, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 28th December, 1873.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Smith Martyr, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 28th December, 1873.

Lieutcnant-Colonel Charles Murray, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 28th December, 1873.

MEMORANDUM.

Captain William Beaver B. Christie, half-pay, late 80th Foot, retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Pated 27th February, 1874.

War Office, 17th March, 1874.

MILITIA.

2nd Derby.

Bernard Edward Cammell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 18th March, 1874.

Dorset.

Thomas Hulkes Bingham Day, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 18th March, 1874.

1st Durham.

Lieutenant Arthur Courtney Hilliard, from the Hampshire Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 18th March, 1874.

Durham Artillery.

Henry Castell Hopkins, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 18th March, 1874.

The Essex Rifles.

Lieutenant George Leslie Reid resigns his Commission. Dated 18th March, 1874.

Royal South Gloucester.

Mervyn Edward Archdale, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 18th March, 1874.

Royal North Gloucester.

Lieutenant Hugh Owen resigns his Commission. Dated 18th March, 1874.

3rd Royal Lancashire.

Captain William Pitt Miller resigns his Commission. Dated 18th March, 1874.

4th Royal Lancashire.

Captain and Honorary Major George Arthur Crawford resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 18th March, 1874.

Arthur Frank Fox. Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant.

Dated 18th March, 1874.

7th Royal Lancashire.

Lieutenant William Turner Openshaw resigns his Commission. Dated 18th March, 1874.

Royal South Lincoln.

The services of Lieutenant Frederic Pearce are dispensed with. Dated 18th March, 1874.

Royal East Middlesex.

Captain Charles Paget Miller resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 18th March, 1874.

2nd Middlesex or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment.

Lieutenant John Goodall Simkins to be Captain, vice Montgomery, resigned. Dated 18th March, 1874.

Oxford.

Benjamin Patrick Hawes, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 18th March, 1874.

The (King's Own) 1st Stufford.

Captain George Canning Talbot resigns his Commission. Dated 18th March, 1874.

1st Warwick.

Ernest Ellil Robinson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 18th March, 1874.

Royal Wilishire.

Lieutenant George Arthur Peel resigns his Commission. Dated 18th March, 1874.

2nd West York.

Licutenant John Robert Tennant to be Captain, vice Severne, resigned. Dated 18th March, 1874.

4th West York.

Lieutenant Thomas Frederick Langford resigns his Commission. Dated 18th March, 1874.

Royal Ayr and Wigtown.

Lieutenant Lord Alexander Kennedy resigns his Commission. Dated 12th November, 1873.

Edinburgh Artillery.

Lieutenant James Maclaine Watters to be Captain. Dated 18th March, 1874.

Highland Borderers Light Infantry.

Lieutenant James Edward Mitchell-Innes resigns his Commission. Dated 18th March, 1874.

The Highland Light Infuntry.

Harold Charles Hanbury, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 18th March, 1874.

1st Royal Lanark.

Lieutenant Augustus Murray resigns his Commission. Dated 18th March, 1874.

Royal Perth.

Robert Drummond Moncreiffe, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 18th March, 1874.

Royal Tyrone Fusiliers.

William Randal, Earl of Antrim, to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 18th March, 1874.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Derbyshire.

Francis Shuttleworth Holden, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 18th March, 1874.

Oxfordshire.

Captain the Honourable William Henry John

North to be Major (Supernumerary). Dated 18th March, 1874.

Warwickshire.

Paul Edgar Tichborne Hibbert, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 18th March, 1874.

Lord Ernest James Seymour to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 18th March,

1874.

The Honourable and Reverend Walter Robert Verney to be Honorary Chaplain. Dated 18th March, 1874.

FROM THE SUPPLEMENT

TO THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 17, 1874.

War Office, March 17, 1874.

A DESPATCH, of which the following is a copy, has been received from Major-General Sir Garnet J. Wolseley, K.C.M.G., C.B., Commanding the Troops on the Gold Coast:—

Camp, Fommanah, February 13, 1874.

Sir, February 13, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to inform you that on the 9th instant a messenger from the King of Ashanti arrived in my camp at Detchiasu, expressing the King's desire to make peace, and offering to accede to my terms. I sent him back with a message to

the King, and said that I would await his answer here until the evening of the 12th instant. I therefore halted at this place on the 10th with the native troops only, sending on all the Europeans

towards Cape Coast.

Last night the messenger returned, accompanied by a chief of Coomassie, deputed to me by the King, and bringing with him one thousand and forty ounces of gold, as an instalment of the indemnity I had demanded, and as proof of his desire to make peace. I have now sent back the messenger with the draft of a treaty of peace for the King's signature, and I anticipate that he will return to Cape Coast within fourteen days from this date. A copy of the proposed treaty is forwarded by this mail to the Secretary of State for the Colonies.

I have to-day also given an audience to Cobbina Obbin, the King of Adansi, who is desirous of leaving the Ashanti territory, and retiring southwards with his people to live near the Denkeras and Wassaws in the old Denkerah bush. I have offered no opposition to his doing so, at the same time informing him that he must make his own arrangements with the Wassaws and Denkeras, and must look for no protection from the English Government.

Yesterday Captain Sartorius, 6th Bengal Cavalry, arrived in my camp with an escort of twenty men. He had left Captain Glover at Essiemampon, about eighteen miles east of Coomassie, and had travelled through Coomassie to Fommanah. He informs me that Captain Glover had a skirmish with the enemy on the Ennoon River, on the 2nd instant, and had since halted for instructions from me. I have now sent to order Captain Glover to withdraw all his troops immediately behind the River Prah, and march to Accra as soon as possible.

1874.

The success which has attended my military mission is, I respectfully submit, satisfactorily proved by the above facts. Our success does not lie merely in our having defeated the enemy's army, and occupied and destroyed his capital. but in our having thoroughly established in this kingdom a wholesome fear of the British power, and a knowledge of the advantages of an alliance with Her Majesty. Three days after we have destroyed his capital and his palace, and commenced our homeward march, the King sends to make peace, and gives a substantial guarantee of his good faith. Five days after the same event, an English officer, accompanied by only twenty men, is able to ride unmolested fifty-five miles through the heart of the invaded kingdom, while one of the principal tributary chiefs beseeches permission to dissever himself from Ashanti, and cast in his lot with the tribes allied to the British Crown. I venture, therefore, to hope that the objects for which Her Majesty's Government entrusted to me a force of British soldiers have been attained, and that the exertions of the officers and men under my command have not been made in vain.

The European troops are to-day at Barraco, Prahsu, and Essiaman. To-morrow the last detachment of them recrosses the Prah. be embarked as soon as possible at Cape Coast, and will sail without an hour's delay to England.

I leave this place to-morrow with my Staff and a rear guard of native troops; and I hope to

arrive at Cape Coast on the 19th inst.

I have, &c.,

G. J. WOLSELEY, Major-General.

The Right Honourable The Secretary of State for War, War Office, London.

Colonial Office, March 17, 1874.

DESPATCHES, of which the following are copies, have been received at the Colonial Office from Major-General Sir Garnet J. Wolseley, K.C.M.G., C.B., Administrator of the Gold Coast.

No. 1.

Sir G. Wolseley to the Earl of Kimberley.

MY LORD.

Head-Quarters, Camp, Fommanah, February 13, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to report that the King of Adansi has applied to me for permission to transfer his whole tribe to the Wassaw country, the Wassaws being willing to receive him and all his people. I told him that there was not land for him in the place he asked first to be allowed to enter, I assured him that I could give him no protection, that he must fight his own battles, and that I could guarantee nothing as to what course Her Majesty might think fit to pursue in the future.

- 2. But when he declared that he feared the vengeance of the King of Ashantee if he remained here after he had negotiated with me, and when he declared that he and all his people detested the Ashantee rule and were anxious to escape anywhere from it, I did not think I should be justified in interfering with an arrangement which will, at all events, have the advantage that it will to some further extent render the Ashantees less able to invade the Fantee territory.
- 3. I feared lest, if I refused, I should be simply handing over the Adansi people to massacre.
- 4. I have, therefore, allowed the King to migrate, as he proposes, but on the express understanding that it is an arrangement between himself and the

Wassaw people, with which Her Majesty does not interfere.

5. The whole subject has caused me very great embarrassment. I have been influenced in the decision I have arrived at by the consideration that the Adansi people, who formerly formed a part of the same tribe as the Wassaws, are now only imitating the example which was set them some years ago by that portion which now passes under the Wassaw name; and, moreover, before the question had to be decided by me the Adansi and Wassaw people had arranged the matter together, and I should have had to exercise an authority I did not feel myself altogether entitled to employ in forbidding a tribe always so vaguely under our influence as the Wassaws, to enter into such an arrangement calculated, as it is, to contribute to their national safety. Moreover, at the time the application was first made to me, the King of Ashantee had not given any trustworthy indications of a wish for peace. To refuse, therefore, an important occasion of strength would have been, on inilitary grounds, an action scarcely defensible.

6. I very much regret that the point should have arisen at all, because it seems to me surrounded with difficulty. But under the conditions of time and place at which I had to decide, I do not think I could have arrived at any other solution.

7. I hear that the powerful Becqua tribe is anxious to follow the example of the Adansi; but I intend, now that the preliminary negotiations as to the Treaty have been completed, to evade, at least for a time, their embarrassing questions by returning to the coast.

I have, &c.

(Signed) G. J. WOLSELEY,
Major-General and Administrator,
Gold Coast.

No. 2.

Sir G. Wolseley to the Earl of Kimberley.

Head-Quarters, Camp, Fommanah,
My Lord, February 13, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to report the arrival in this camp of Captain Sartorius with a letter from Captain Glover of which I enclose a copy. Captain Sartorious left Captain Glover's forces eighteen miles to the eastward of Coomassie. He took with him only twenty armed men and had no occasion to fire a shot during the entire journey, though he rode through Coomassie and followed the road by which we returned.

2. This is the most striking illustration I have yet received of the effect that our recent victories

have had upon the Ashantee Kingdom.

3. Your Lordship will see that Captain Glover fancied that he was only seven miles from

Coomassie at the time he wrote.

4. From Captain Sartorius' report, it appears that Captain Glover spent ten days at Abogo, after the capture of that village, waiting for stores; that he then advanced to Conomanga, and thence to Adomassie, where he appears to have halted his main body until he, on the 8th instant, received intelligence of the capture of Coomassie. Then advancing for two days he dispatched Captain Sartorious on the 10th. I have sent Captain Glover a letter in French, informing him of what has taken place.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) G. J. WOLSELEY,

Major-General and Administrator, Gold Coast.

Inclosure in No. 2.

Essiemampon,

SIR, February 10, 1874, 12.30 P.M.

I HAVE the honour to report my arrival at this place with 700 Houssas and Yorubas, three 7-pounder guns, three rocket troughs, 204 spare rounds ammunition per man. Last engagement with enemy was on 2nd instant, when they were driven from line of Amoon River. King of Duabin has sent in his submission. I sent his messenger back ordering King to go to your Excellency at Coomassie.

I have with me some 1,600 allies and 5,000 over River Prah coming up; I suppose myself to be seven miles from Coomassie, and shall halt at Atrirea, the next village, until I receive orders

from your Excellency.

My men have had only one ounce of salt meat per man since 18th January, and that once, four days since.

Captain Sartorius, 6th Bengal Cavalry, who

takes this has done excellent and hard service.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) J. H. GLOVER, R.N. Major-General Sir G. Wolseley, C.B., K.C.M.G., &c., &c.

No. 3.

Sir G. Wolselcy to the Earl of Kimberley.

Head Quarters, Camp, Fommanah,
My Lord, February 13, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to report that, on the 9th instant, at Detchiasu, I received from the King of Ashantee a fresh messenger, who assured methat the King was most anxious now to accede to all my terms and to make peace.

2. I told him at once that I was quite as desirous of peace myself, and that as the Ashantee Kingdom had been already so severely punished I would waive the question of the hostages, who were no longer necessary, and if the King would send to me 5,000 ozs. of gold dust, as an earnest of his sincerity and as a first instalment of the indemnity, I should be willing to arrange the terms of a Treaty of Peace with any envoy of sufficient authority whom the King would send to Fommanah, where I would wait till the evening of the 12th, to allow sufficient time for him to communicate with the King, and collect the money.

3. Last night I was informed that Envoys from the King had arrived at a point about two miles from my outposts, and that they desired permission to treat with me, saying at the same time that they would not have come had they not ful-

filled all the conditions I had demanded.

4. This morning I received the messengers here, but found that they had only brought with them 1,000 ounces of gold. They declared, however, that the King could not at the moment produce more, that 1,000 ounces was more than had ever been demanded of them before, Governor M'Clean having only required them to deposit 600 ounces as a temporary security, to be subsequently given back to them. I thought it exceedingly probable that additional pressure might have induced them to produce the larger sum; but I considered that the main point was to obtain the Treaty of Peace, and that the money being important chiefly as a proof of complete submission, the quantity actually now paid was a matter of comparatively secondary importance.
5. I therefore allowed the Envoys to go into the

question of the Treaty, the nature of which was

carefully explained to them. They made objection

to two clauses only.

- 6. First they professed not to have understood that the sum of money demanded was so large as 50,000 ozs. When, however, I informed them that the King had already expressly agreed to this sum, they withdrew the objection. I fancy that it is very doubtful whether the whole of the money will ever be obtained by Her Majesty's Government; but as the payment of a few thousand pounds cannot be a matter of relatively so great importance as the maintenance of peace, I have caused the wording of this cause to be carefully so framed, so as to make it clear that the money is only to be paid in such instalments, and at such times, as Her Majesty may direct. The whole question of the money will thus be open for solution in any way Her Majesty's Government may think fit.
- 7. The second point to which objection was raised is one which has caused me much more anxiety. As I have already explained in my despatch of this same date, I have not felt myself justified in refusing absolutely to allow the King of Adansi and his people, on their earnest petition, to join with the Wassaw people and occupy their lands together.

8. I considered, therefore, that it was indispensable, in order to avoid future trouble, that the King of Ashantee should distinctly acknowledge

the independence of the Adansi people.

9. I carefully explained to the Envoys at the same time, that I had taken no steps whatever myself in this matter, that the action on the part of the Adansi people was purely voluntary, and that it was one with which it was impossible for me to interfere.

10. It has been agreed that within a fortnight

the King shall send to Cape Coast the Treaty signed by himself. I incline to believe that the danger of breaking up to which his kingdom is exposed, unless we are on friendly terms with him, will induce him to fulfil, with as much punctuality as he is capable of, the conditions of the Treaty.

11. For not only have the Adansi people begged to be allowed to migrate, but I have heard through the King of Adansi that the much more powerful Becwa tribe is quite as anxious to do the same, and only awaits my decision on the case of the King of Adansi, before declaring its intention to

join some tribe nearer the Coast.

12. These and other indications that only very slight action on our part is required to cause the complete dissolution of his kingdom, will, I believe, be for the fulfilment of the engagements he has now entered into, better securities than any others we could have.

I have, &c.
(Signed) G. J. WOLSELEY,
Major-General and Administrator,
Gold Coast.

Inclosure in No. 3.

TREATY of Peace between Major-General Sir Garnet Joseph Wolseley, K.C.M.G., C.B., acting on behalf of Her Majesty Victoria, Queen of Great Britain and Ireland, and Saibee Enquie, acting on behalf of His Majesty Koffee Kalkalli, King of Ashantee.

ART. 1. THERE shall be hereafter perpetual peace between the Queen of England and her allies on the coast on the one part, and the King of Ashantee and all his people on the other part.

ART. II — The King of Ashantee promises to pay the sum of 50,000 ounces of approved gold as indemnity for the expenses he has occasioned to Her Majesty the Queen of England by the late war; and undertakes to pay 1,000 ounces of gold forthwith, and the remainder by such instalments as Her Majesty's Government may from time to time demand.

ART. III.—The King of Ashantee, on the part of himself and his successors, renounces all right or title to any tribute or homage from the Kings of Denkera, Assin, Akim, Adansi, and the other allies of Her Majesty formerly subject to the

Kingdom of Ashantee.

ART. IV.—The King, on the part of himself and of his heirs and successors, does hereby further renounce for ever all pretensions of supremacy over Elmina, or over any of the tribes formerly connected with the Dutch Government, and to any tribute or homage from such tribes, as well as to any payment or acknowledgment of any kind by the British Government in respect of Elmina or any other of the British forts and possessions on the coast.

ART. V.—The King will at once withdraw all his troops from Appolonia and its vicinity, and from the neighbourhood of Dixcove, Secondee,

and the adjoining coast-line.

ART. VI.—There shall be freedom of trade between Ashantee and Her Majesty's forts on the coast, all persons being at liberty to carry their merchandize from the coast to Coomassic, or from that place to any of Her Majesty's possessions on the coast.

ART. VII.—The King of Ashantee guarantees that the road from Coomassie to the River Prah shall always be kept open and free from bush to a width of 15 feet.

ART. VIII.—As Her Majesty's subjects and the people of Ashantee are henceforth to be friends for ever, the King, in order to prove the sincerity of his friendship for Queen Victoria, promises to use his best endeavours to check the practice of human sacrifice, with a view to hereafter putting an end to it altogether, as the practice is repugnant to the feelings of all Christian nations.

ART. IX.—One copy of this Treaty shall be signed by the King of Ashantee and sent to the Administrator of Her Majesty's Government at Cape Coast Castle within fourteen days from this

date.

ART. X.—This Treaty shall be known as the Treaty of Fommanah.

Dated at Fommanah this 13th day of February,

1874.

No. 4.

Sir G. Wolseley to the Earl of Kimberley.

Camp, Prahsu,

My Lord, February 15, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to report that, as the war with the King of Ashantee has now been brought to a satisfactory termination, I have not considered it necessary to maintain any longer the state of martial law, which has been in force in the town of Elmina and the surrounding districts since the 12th day of June, 1873.

By a Proclamation, therefore, dated 12th of February, 1874, published by my command, the state of martial law in Elmina and the surrounding

districts has been declared at an end.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) G. J. WOLSELEY,
Major-General and Administrator,
Gold Coast.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 20, 1874.

Her Majesty's Most Gracious Speech, delivered by the Lords Commissioners, to both Houses of Parliament, on Thursday, March 19, 1874.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

I RECUR to your advice at the earliest period permitted by the arrangements consequent on the retirement of the late Administration.

My relations with all foreign Powers continue to be most friendly. I shall not fail to exercise the influence arising from these cordial relations for the maintenance of European peace, and the faithful observance of international obligations.

The marriage of my son, the Duke of Edinburgh, with the Grand Duchess Marie Alexandrowna of Russia, is at once a source of happiness to myself and a pledge of friendship between two

great Empires.

The war with the King of Ashantee has terminated in the capture and destruction of his capital, and in negotiations which, I trust, may lead to a more satisfactory condition of affairs than has hitherto prevailed on the West Coast of Africa.

The courage, discipline, and endurance displayed by my forces, both of the land and sea service, together with the energy and skill evinced in the conduct of the expedition, have brilliantly maintained, under the most trying circumstances, the traditionary reputation of the British arms.

I deeply regret that the drought of last summer

has affected the most populous provinces of my Indian Empire, and has produced extreme scarcity, in some parts amounting to actual famine, over an area inhabited by many millions. I have directed the Governor-General of India to spare no cost in striving to mitigate this terrible calamity.

Gentlemen of the House of Commons,

The estimates for the expenditure of the coming. financial year will be forthwith submitted to you.

My Lords and Gentlemen,

The delay and expense attending the transfer of land in England have long been felt to be a reproach to our system of law, and a serious obstacle to dealings in real property. This subject has, in former sessions, occupied the attention of Parliament, and I trust that the measures which will now be submitted for your consideration will be found calculated to remove much of the evil of which complaint has been made.

You will probably be of opinion that the rearrangement of the Judicature, and the blending of the administration of law and equity, which were effected for England by the enactment of last session, ought, on the same principles, to be extended to Ireland, and you will be asked to devote some part of your time to the accompli-h-

ment of this object.

The greater part of these changes would be inapplicable to the tribunals of Scotland; but you will be invited, as to that part of my Kingdom, to consider the most satisfactory mode of bringing the procedure upon appeals into harmony with recent legislation, and, among other measures relating to her special interests, a Bill for amending the law relating to Land Rights and for facilitating the Transfer of Land will be laid before you.

Serious differences have arisen, and remonstrances been made by large classes of the community, as to the working of the recent Act of Parliament affecting the relationship of Master and Servant, of the Act of 1871, which deals with offences connected with trade, and of the law of conspiracy, more especially as connected with these offences. On these subjects I am desirous that, before attempting any fresh legislation, you should be in possession of all material facts, and of the precise questions in controversy, and for this purpose I have issued a Royal Commission to inquire into the state and working of the present law with a view to its early amendmend, if it should be found necessary.

A Bill will be introduced dealing with such parts of the Acts regulating the sale of intoxicating liquors as have given rise to complaints which appear to deserve the interference of Par-

liament.

Your attention will also be directed to the laws

affecting Friendly and Provident Societies.

All these matters will require your grave consideration, and I pray that the Almighty may guide your deliberations for the welfare of my realm.

At the Court at Windsor, the 17th day of March, 1874.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day, Edward Strathearn Gordon, Esquire, was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

At the Court at Windsor, the 17th day of March, 1874.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased to appoint the Lord President of the Council, the Vice-President of the Committee of Council on Education, the Right Honourable Benjamin Disraeli, the Chancellor of the Exchequer, and the Right Honourable Edward Strathearn Gordon (Lord Advocate), to be a Committee of Council on Education in Scotland.

At the Court at Windsor, the 17th day of March, 1874.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S MostExcellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased, on a representation of the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education, to appoint Ellis Ashmead Bartlett, Esquire, B.A. of Christ Church, Oxford; James Hamilton Wylie, Esquire, B.A. of Pembroke College, Oxford; and John Bailey Haslam, Esquire, M.A., Fellow of Saint John's College, Cambridge, to be three of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools.

At the Court at Windsor, the 17th day of March, 1874.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

WHEREAS by an Act of Parliament made and passed in the Session of Parliament holden in the

thirty-third and thirty-fourth years of the reign of Her present Majesty, intituled "An Act for amend-"ing the Law relating to the Extradition "Criminals," it was amongst other things enacted, that where an arrangement has been made with any foreign State with respect to the surrender to such State of any fugitive criminals, Her Majesty may, by Order in Council, direct that the said Act shall apply in the case of such foreign State; and that Her Majesty may, by the same or any subsequent Order, limit the operation of the Order, and restrict the same to fugitive criminals who are in or suspected of being in the part of Her Majesty's dominions specified in the Order, and render the operation thereof subject to such conditions, exceptions, and qualifications as may be deemed expedient:

And whereas a Treaty was concluded on the third day of December last between Her Majesty and the Emperor of Austria, King of Bohemia, &c., &c., and Apostolic King of Hungary, for the Mutual Extradition of Fugitive Criminals, which Treaty is in the terms following:—

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kinglom of Great Britain and Ireland, and His Majesty the Emperor of Austria, King of Bohemia, &c., &c., &c., and Apostolic King of Hungary. having judged it expedient, with a view to the better administration of justice, and to the prevention of crime within the two countries and their jurisdictions that persons charged with or convicted of the crimes hereinafter enumerated, and being fugitives from justice, should, under certain circumstances, be reciprocally delivered up; Their said Majesties have named as their Plenipotentiaries to conclude a Treaty, for this purpose, that is to say:

Her Majesty the Queen of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, the Right Honourable

Sir Andrew Buchanan, a member of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, Knight Grand Cross of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Her Majesty's Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary to His Imperial and Royal Apostolic Majesty:

And His Imperial and Royal Apostolic Majesty, the Count Julius Andrassy of Csik-Szent-Király and Kraszna Horka, His Imperial and Royal Majesty's Privy Councillor, Minister of the Imperial House and of Foreign Affairs, Grand Cross of

the Order of St. Stephen, &c. :

Who, after having communicated to each other their respective full powers, found in good and due form, have agreed upon and concluded the follow-

ing Articles:

ARTICLE I.

The High Contracting Parties engage to deliver up to each other those persons who, being accused or convicted of a crime committed in the territory of the one Party, shall be found within the territory of the other Party under the circumstances and couditions stated in the present Treaty.

ARTICLE II.

The crimes for which the extradition is to be granted are the following :-

1. Murder, or attempt to murder.

2. Manslaughter.

3. Counterfeiting or altering money, uttering or bringing into circulation counterfeit or altered

money.

4. Forgery or counterfeiting, or altering or uttering what is forged or counterfeited or altered; comprehending the crimes designated in the Austrian Penal Laws or in the Hungarian Penal Laws and Customs as counterfeiting or falsification of paper money, bank notes, or other 1874.

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securities, forgery or falsification of other public or private documents, likewise the uttering or bringing into circulation, or wilfully using such

counterfeited, forged, or falsified papers.

The definition is to be determined accordingly with the Austrian Penal Laws if the extradition shall take place from Austria, and accordingly with the Hungarian Penal Laws and Customs if the extradition shall take place from Hungary.

5. Embezzlement or larceny.

6. Obtaining money or goods by false pretences.

7. Crimes against bankruptcy law: comprehending the crimes considered as frauds committed by the bankrupt in connection with the bankruptcy, according with the Austrian Penal Laws if the extradition shall take place from Austria, and with the Hungarian Penal Laws if the extradition shall take place from Hungary.

8. Fraud by a bailee, banker, agent, factor, trustee, or director or member or public officer of any company, made criminal by any law for the

time being in force.

9. Rape.

10. Abduction.

11. Child stealing, kiduapping, and false imprisonment.

12. Burglary or housebreaking.

13. Arson.

14. Robbery with violence or with menaces.

15. Threats by letter or otherwise with intent to extort.

16. Sinking or destroying a vessel at sea, or

attempting to do so.

17. Assaults on board a ship on the high seas, with intent to destroy life, or to do grievous bodily harm.

18. Revolt, or conspiracy to revolt, by two or more persons on board a ship on the high seas, against the authority of the master.

19. Perjury or subornation of perjury.

20. Malicious injury to property, if the offence

be indictable.

The extradition is also to take place for participation in any of the aforesaid crimes, as accessory either before or after the fact, provided such participation be punishable by the laws of both the Contracting Parties.

In all these cases the extradition will only take place from the Austro-Hungarian States when the crimes, if committed in Austria, would, according to Austrain law, constitute a "Verbrechen," or, if committed in Hungary, would, according to the laws and customs being in force in Hungary, constitute a crime ("buntett"); the extradition from Great Britain only when the crimes, if committed in England, or within English jurisdiction, would constitute an extradition crime, as described in the Extradition Acts of 1870 and 1873.

ARTICLE III.

In no case and on no grounds whatever shall the High Contracting Parties be held to concede the extradition of their own subjects.

ARTICLE IV.

The extradition shall not take place if the person claimed on the part of the Government of the United Kingdom, or the person claimed on the part of the Government of Austria-Hungary, has already been tried and discharged or punished, or is still under trial, in the Austro-Hungarian dominions, or in the United Kingdom respectively, for the crime for which his extradition is definanted.

If the person claimed on the part of the Government of the United Kingdom, or if the person claimed on the part of the Government of Austria-Hungary, should be under examination for any

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other crime in the Austro-Hungarian dominions, or in the United Kingdom respectively, his extradition shall be deferred until the conclusion of the trial, and the full execution of any punishment awarded to him.

Should an individual whose extradition is demanded be at litigation, or be detained in the country on account of private obligations, his surrender shall nevertheless be made, the injured party retaining the right to prosecute his claims before the competent authority.

ARTICLE V.

The extradition shall not take place if, with respect to the crime for which it is demanded, and according to the laws of the country applied to, criminal prosecution and punishment has lapsed.

ARTICLE VI.

A fugitive criminal shall not be surrendered if the offence in respect of which his surrender is demanded is one of a political character, or if he prove that the requisition for his surrender has, in fact, been made with a view to try or punish him for an offence of a political character.

ARTICLE VII.

If an individual whose extradition is demanded by either of the High Contracting Parties, in accordance with the terms of this Treaty, be also claimed by one or several other Powers on account of other crimes committed on their territory, he shall be surrendered to the Government in whose territory his gravest crime was committed; and if his crimes are all of the same gravity, or a doubt exists as to which is the gravest, to the Government which first made application for his surrender.

ACTICLE VIII.

A surrendered person shall in no case be kept in arrest or subjected to examination in the State to which he has been surrendered on account of another previous crime, or any other grounds than those of his surrender, unless such person has, after his surrender, had an opportunity of returning to the country whence he was surrendered, and has not made use of this opportunity, or unless he, after having returned there, reappears in the country to which he has already been surrendered.

This stipulation does not refer to crimes com-

mitted after surrender.

ARTICLE IX.

Requisitions for surrender shall be made by the Diplomatic Agents of the High Contracting Parties.

To the requisition for the surrender of an accused person there must be attached a warrant issued by the competent authorities of the State which demands extradition, and such proofs as would, according to the laws of the place where the accused was found, justify his arrest if the crime had been committed there.

If the requisition refers to a person already convicted, the sentence passed by the competent Tribunal of State demanding his surrender must be produced.

No requisition for surrender can be based on a

conviction in contumaciam.

ARTICLE X.

If the requisition for extradition be in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the competent authorities of the State applied to shall proceed to the arrest of the fugitive.

The prisoner is then to be brought before a competent Magistrate, who is to examine him and

to conduct the preliminary investigation of the case, just as if the apprehension had taken place for a crime committed in the same country.

ARTICLE XI.

A fugitive criminal may, however, in urgent cases be arrested under a warrant of a Police Magistrate, Judge of the Peace, or of any other competent authority in either country, on such information or complaint, or such evidence as would, in the opinion of the person issuing the warrant, justify the issue of a warrant if the crime had been committed or the prisoner convicted in the district in which the authority happens to be; provided, however, that he shall be discharged if, within the shortest time possible, and at the utmost within fourteen days, a requisition for his surrender in accordance with the terms of Article IX of this Treaty is not made by the Diplomatic Agent of the State which demands his extradition.

ARTICLE XII.

The extradition shall not take place before the expiration of fifteen days from the apprehension, and then only if the evidence be found sufficient, according to the laws of the State applied to, either to justify the committal of the prisoner for trial, in case the crime had been committed in the territory of the said State, or to prove that the prisoner is the identical person convicted by the Courts of the State which makes the requisition.

ARTICLE XIII.

In the examinations which they have to make in accordance with the foregoing stipulations, the authorities of the State applied to shall admit as entirely valid evidence the sworn depositions or statements of witnesses taken in the other State, or copies thereof, and likewise the warrants and sentences issued therein, provided such documents are signed or certified by a Judge, Magistrate, or Officer of such State, and are authenticated by the oath of some witness, or by being sealed with the official seal of the Minister of Justice, or some other Minister of State.

ARTICLE XIV.

If sufficient evidence for the extradition be not produced within two months from the date of the apprehension of the fugitive, he shall be set at liberty.

ARTICLE XV.

All articles seized, which were in the possession of the person to be surrendered at the time of his apprehension, shall, if the competent authority of the State applied to for extradition has ordered the delivery thereof, be given up when the extradition takes place; and this delivery shall extend not only to property of the accused, and to the stolen articles, but also to everything which may serve as a proof of the crime. If the extradition cannot be carried out in consequence of the flight or death of the individual who is claimed, the delivery of the above-mentioned objects shall take place nevertheless.

ARTICLE XVI.

Each of the Contracting Parties shall defray the expenses occasioned by the arrest within its territories, the detention, and the conveyance to its frontier, of the persons to be surrendered, in pursuance of this Treaty.

ARTICLE XVII.

The stipulations of the present Treaty shall be applicable to the Colonies and foreign possessions of Her Britannic Majesty.

The requisition for the surrender of a fugitive criminal who has taken refuge in any of such Colonies or foreign possessions shall be made to the Governor or chief authority of such Colony or possession by the chief Consular Officer of Austria-Hungary in such Colony or possession.

Such requisitions may be disposed of, subject always, as nearly as may be, to the provisions of this Treaty, by the said Governor or chief authority, who, however, shall be at liberty either to grant the surrender, or to refer the matter to his

Government.

Her Britannic Majesty shall, however, be at liberty to make special arrangements in the British Colonies and foreign possessions for the surrender of Austro-Hungarian criminals, who may take refuge withiu such Colonies and foreign possessions, on the basis as nearly as may be, of the provisions of the present Treaty.

The requisition for the surrender of a fugitive criminal from any Colony or foreign possession of Her Britannic Majesty shall be governed by the rules laid down in the preceding Articles of the

present Treaty.

ARTICLE XVIII.

The present Treaty shall come into force ten days after its publication, in conformity with the forms prescribed by the laws of the High Contracting Parties. It may be terminated by either of the High Contracting Parties, but shall remain in force for six months after notice has been given for its termination.

The Treaty shall be ratified, and the ratifications shall be exchanged at Vienna as soon as possible.

In witness whereof, the respective Plenipotentiaries have signed the same, and have affixed thereto the seal of their arms.

Done at Vienna, the 3rd day of December, in

the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-three.

(L.S.) ANDREW BUCHANAN.

(L.S.) ANDRASSY.

And whereas the ratifications of the said Treaty were exchanged at Vienna on the tenth instant:

Now, therefore, Her Majesty, by and with the advice of Her Privy Council, and in virtue of the authority committed to Her by the said recited Act, doth order, and it is hereby ordered, that from and after the thirtieth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, the said Act shall apply in the case of the said Treaty with the Emperor of Austria.

Arthur Helps.

Whitehall, March 19, 1874.

THE Queen has been pleased to issue a Commission, under Her Majesty's Royal Sign Manual, to the effect following:—

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VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, Queen, Defender of the Faith:—

To Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor Sir Alexander James Edmund Cockburn, Bart., Knight Grand Cross of Our Most Honourable Order of the Bath, Chief Justice of Our Court of Queen's Bench; Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor John, Baron Winmarleigh; Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor Edward Pleydell Bouverie; Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor Russell Gurney, one of Our Counsel learned in the Law, Recorder of Our

City of London; Our right trusty and well-beloved Councillor Sir Montague Edward Smith, Knt., a Member of the Judicial Committee of Our Privy Council; Our trusty and well-beloved John Arthur Roebuck, Esq., onc of Our Counsel learned in the Law; Our trusty and well-beloved Thomas Hughes, Esq., one of Our Counsel learned in the Law; Our trusty and well-beloved Gabriel Goldney, Esq.; and Our trusty and well-beloved Alexander Macdonald, Esq., grecting:

Whereas it has been represented unto Us that it is expedient that inquiry should be made into the several matters hereinafter mentioned:

Now know ye that We reposing great trust and confidence in your ability and discretion, have nominated, constituted, and appointed, and do by these presents nominate, constitute, and appoint you, the said Sir Alexander James Edmund Cockburn, John, Baron Winmarleigh, Edward Pleydell Bouverie, Russell Gurney, Sir Montague Edward Smith, John Arthur Roebuck, Thomas Hughes, Gabriel Goldney, and Alexander Macdonald, to be Our Commissioners to inquire into the working of the Master and Servant Act, 1867, and of the Criminal Law Amendment Act (34 and 35 Vict., cap. 32), and whether any, and if any, what amendment or alteration in the provisions of those Acts, or either of them, is desirable, and also to enquire whether it is expedient to limit or define the law relating to conspiracy, either generally, or as affecting the relation of masters and workmen. And for the better discovery of the truth in the premises, We do, by these presents, give and grant unto you, or any three or more of you, full power and authority, to call before you, or any three or more of you, such persons as you shall judge necessary by whom you may be the better informed of the truth in

the premises, and to inquire of the premises, and every part thereof, by all other lawful ways and means whatsoever, and also to call for and examine all such books, documents, papers, and records as you shall judge likely to afford you the fullest information on the subject of this, Our Commission. And Our further will and pleasure is, that you, Our said Commissioners, do, with as little delay as possible, report to Us, in writing under your hands and seals, or under the hands and seals of any five or more of you, your several proceedings under and by virtue of this Our Commission, together with what you shall find touching or concerning the premises, in order to facilitate immediate legislation should any be required. And We do further will and command, and by these presents ordain, that this, Our Commission, shall continue in full force and virtue, and that you, Our said Commissioners, or any three or more of you shall and may from time to time proceed in the execution thereof, and of every matter and thing therein contained, although the same be not continued from time to time by adjournment.

And for your assistance in the due execution of this Our Commission, We have made choice of Our trusty and well-beloved Francis Henry Bacon, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be Secretary to this Our Commission, whose services and assistance We require you to use from time to time as occa-

sion shall require.

Given at Our Court at St James's, the nineteenth day of March, one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four, in the thirtyseventh year of Our reign.

By Her Majesty's command,

Richd. Assheton Cross.

Master of the Horse's Office, Royal Mews, Pimbo, March 19, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Count Albert Edward Wilfred Gleichen to be Page of Honour to Her Majesty, vice the Honourable George Fitzroy Henry Somerset, resigned.

Crown Office, March 18, 1874.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Northumberland.

Northern Division.

The Right Honourable Henry George Percy (commonly called Earl Percy), Treasurer of Her Majesty's Household.

County of Northampton.
Northern Division.

The Right Honourable George Ward Hunt, First Commissioner of the Admiralty.

County of Buckingham.

The Right Honourable Benjamin Disraeli, First Commissioner of Her Majesty's Treasury.

County of Devon.

Northern Division.

The Right Honourable Sir Stafford Henry Northcote, Baronet, Chancellor and Under Treasurer of Her Majesty's Exchequer.

March 19.

County of Lancaster. South-Western Division.

The Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State.

City of Oxford.

Alexander William Hall, Esq., in the place of the Right Honourable Edward Cardwell, now Viscount Cardwell, called up to the House of Peers.

County of Inverness.

Donald Cameron, of Lochiel, one of the Grooms in Ordinary in Waiting on Her Majesty.

Borough of Eye.

The Right Honourable George William, Viscount Barrington, Vice-Chamberlain of Her Majesty's Household.

County of Devon.

Southern Division.

Sir Massey Lopes Lopes, Bart., one of the Commissioners of the Admiralty.

March 20.

County of Suffolk.

Eastern Division.

The Honourable Arthur Philip Stanhope (commonly called Viscount Mahon), one of the Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury.

County of Dublin.

The Right Honourable Thomas Edward Taylor, Chancellor of the Duchy and County Palatine of Lancaster.

Crown Office, March 19, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to constitute and appoint:—
Philip Chasemore Gates, Esq., of the Inner Temple;

Frederic Andrew Inderwick, Esq., of the Inner Temple;

Edward Henry Pember, Esq., of Lincoln's-

inn;

Frederick Adolphus Philbrick, Esq., of the Middle Temple; and

George Parker Bidder, Esq., of Lincoln's-inn; of Her Majesty's Counsel, learned in the Law.

(H. 1845.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehad Gardens, March 18, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon stating that the Portuguese Government has declared the port of Rotterdam to be free from cholera morbus since the 20th January last, the ports of the United States to be free from cholera morbus and yellow fever, and the port of Pará to be "infected" with yellow fever since the 23rd January last.

(H. 1846.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, March 18, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid stating that the cholera having ceased at Stettin, the Spanish Government has cancelled the order imposing quarantine on arrivals from that port, and that such ships with clear bills of health are only to be subjected to the usual sanitary regulations.

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Roard of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, March 19, 1874.

WITH reference to a Notice which appeared in the London Gazette of the 12th September last, respecting an International Agricultural Exhibition to be held at Bremen from the 13th to the 21st June next, the Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Bremen reporting that the latest date allowed to exhibitors for sending in applications for space (originally fixed to be April 1st) has now been extended to the 15th April next.

Admiralty, 16th March, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Charles E. Bell has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 10th instant.

Admiralty, 18th March, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Richard W. Fawkes has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Admiralty, 19th March, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Chief Engineer Thomas Scotcher Nunn has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 18th instant.

India Office, 19th March, 1874.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the undermentioned promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps and of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces made by the Government in India:—

BREVET.

To be Majors.

Captain James Sconce, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 9th December, 1873.

Captain Henry Archibald Mallock, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 9th December, 1873.

Captain Arthur Phelps, Bombay Infantry. Dated 20th December, 1873.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Dempster Heming, Madras Infantry. Dated 16th November, 1873.

Lieutenant Seymour Duncan Barrow, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 14th January, 1874.

SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Alfred Tulloch. Dated 11th January, 1874.

Major Joseph Reay. Dated 11th January, 1874. Major Robert Durie Griffin. Dated 11th January, 1874.

Major Charles Vernon Jenkins. Dated 20th

January, 1874.

Major James Andrews Mouat Biggs. Dated 20th January, 1874.

To be Majors.

Captain (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel), Charles Nedham. Dated 4th January, 1874. Captain (Brevet Major), Maunsell Mark Prendergast. Dated 4th January, 1874.

Captain George Fergus Graham. Dated 14th

January, 1874,

Captain Alexander Copland. Dated 15th January, 1874.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Alexander Innes Shepherd. Dated 20th December, 1873.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) George William Beresford. Dated 9th January, 1874.

BENGAL ARMY.

CAVALRY.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Major-General) Robert John Hawthorne. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant - Colonel (Major - General) Stephen Francis Macmullan. Dated 1st January, 1874.

INFANTRY.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant - Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Edward Dayot Watson. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Lieutenant-General) James Travers, C.B., V.C. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) John Gordon. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant - Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Robert Duffin. Dated 1st January, 1874.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Philip Story. Dated 1st January, 1874. Major Edward John McNair. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Major Spencer Grant Warde. Dated 1st January, 1874.

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MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Major.

Captain Edward Ridley Colbourne Bradford. Dated 13th November, 1873.

MADRAS ARMY.

GENERAL LIST OF INFANTRY OFFICERS.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Augustus Frederick Wilkinson to be Captain. Dated 13th November, 1873.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major James Annesley Smith. Dated 10th December, 1873.

To be Majors.

Captain George Lodwick Warden. Dated 9th December, 1873.

Captain George Shepherd Stevens. Dated 10th December, 1873.

Captain John Germain Watts. Dated 10th December, 1873.

Captain Thomas Lyons Frazer. Dated 10th December, 1873.

To be Captains.

Licutenant John Thomas Watling. Dated 26th November, 1873.

Lieutenant Arthur Melvill Hogg. Dated 12th December, 1873.

Lieutenant Frederick William Joseph. Dated 18th December, 1873.

Lientenant Julian Babonan Lawrence. Dated 18th December, 1873.

Lieutenant George John Coulson. Dated 21st December, 1873.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the (ounty of Worcester.

General Henry Colvile to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th March, 1874.

Henry Allsopp, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieu-

tenant. Dated 13th March, 1874.

William Edward Dowdeswell, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th March, 1874.

Thomas Rowley Hill, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th March, 1874.

Joseph Jones, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th March, 1874.

Roger Douglas Gresley, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant, Dated 13th March, 1874.

Lieutenant. Dated 13th March, 1874.
William Henry Flood, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th March, 1874.

FROM THE

SUPPLEMENT

TO THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 20, 1874.

Admiralty, March 23, 1874.

THE following Despatches and Enclosures have been received by the Secretary of the Admiralty from Commodore W. N. W. Hewett, V.C., Senior Naval Officer on the Gold Coast:—

"Active," at Cape Coast, March 3, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to forward for the information of the Lords Commissioners of the 2 F 2

SIR,

Admiralty a letter I have received from Captain J. H. Glover, R.N., Special Commissioner in the Volta, bringing to my notice the good services of Lieutenant George H. Moore (late "Druid") and Sub-Lieutenant Henry Ponsonby, belonging to Her Majesty's ship "Active," and Retired Sub-Lieutenant Henry H. Adamson late "Argus") while attached to the expeditionary force commanded by him in that river.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) W. N. W. HEWETT,
Commodore.

The Secretary of the Admiralty.

Fort Anamaboe,

Sir, February 25, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to forward for your information extracts from report furnished by me to His Excellency the Major-General, of Services of Officers* attached to the Volta Expeditionary Force, and to request that you will bring the services of the Officers named in margin to the notice of my Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) JOHN H. GLOVER.

Special Commissioner.

To Captain Hewett, V.C., C.B., Commodore Commanding Cape Coast.

(Extracts.)

Lieutenant Moore, of Her Majesty's ship "Druid," joined the expedition as a volunteer, with the approval of his commanding officer, on the 1st October last.

Lieutenant Moore, R.N., Sub - Lieutenant Ponsonby, Sub-Lieutenant Adamson.

For the first part of his service he rendered valuable assistance in piloting vessels over the bar of the Volta, in landing stores, and in command of "Lady of Lake" steamer in the river.

On the 2nd December he went to Blapah, and planned and cleared there the camp on the Volta,

previous to the arrival of Captain Sartorius.

On the 25th December he had charge of the battery on the right bank of the river, covering the landing on the opposite shore, and subsequently of the "Lady of the Lake" steamer, and had a narrow escape from sunstroke due to his exertions in the heat.

When it was decided to leave the left bank of Volta on 27th, he was left as Commissioner with 3,000 Aquapims and Crobboes, and served with them with Deputy-Commissioner Goldsworthy up to 11th January, and successfully brought 1500 of these native levies across the Prah, to join me at Odumassie on the 6th of February. Since that date he has had command of the Yorubas, and has marched with them to this place.

During the whole of this time he has shown great energy and constant willingness to carry out any duties required of him, and deserves my thanks for the assistance he has afforded me.

Sub-Lieutenant Ponsonby, Her Majesty's ship "Active," joined us just before the crossing of the Volta, on the 24th and 25th December. His skilful firing was referred to in General Orders of that date.

He was left in charge of the steam launches on the Volta, and subsequently received orders to oin Head Quarters, which he did at Chibbi, on 11th January.

He accompanied Lieutenant Barnard in charge of rockets to Jaarsie, and in his reports of attack on Odumassie, 26th January, Lieutenant Barnard

remarks on "the splendid way in which the rockets cleared the bush." On this occasion he was struck by a spent slug on the knee, with such violence as to cause him to fall.

He was also with Lieutenant Barnard on the 2nd February, when the enemy were driven from the line of Annonu River.

He has since acted under Commander Larcom, in charge of artillery of the expedition, and on the return march has had charge of the loads and transport.

"Active," at Cape Coast, March 3, 1874.

THE operations against the Ashantees being now ended, it becomes my pleasing duty to bring to the notice of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, the highly satisfactory manner in which the Officers, seamen, and marines of the squadron under my orders have, on all occasions, carried out their duties during the trying time they have been employed on the Gold Coast.

SIR,

All indeed have realized my highest expectations; and in making special mention of any, who, under my own observation, especially distinguished themselves by their gallantry, zeal, or ability, I am anxious that their Lordships should not under-rate the value I set upon the services of those, who, lacking an opportunity, were not so fortunate as to render themselves conspicuous.

The manner in which Captain W. J. Hunt Grubbe, of Her Majesty's ship "Tamar," performed special duties which devolved upon him, throughout the period he commanded the Naval Brigade, is deserving of my warmest approbation, and I beg to call their Lordships special attention to the fact that, although severely wounded in the left

hand at the battle of Amoaful, he would not relinquish his command until the campaign was finished.

The services of the Brigade itself are recorded in the enclosed letter from Captain Hunt Grubbe.

Of the Officers specially mentioned therein Lieutenant Gerard H. U. Noel, of Her Majesty's ship "Active" was landed on the 27th November, 1873, in charge of a party of fifty seamen and marines, who previous to the arrival of the European regiments were detailed to act as a guard to Sir Garnet Wolseley, on the occasion of his proceeding to the front to inspect the progress made in the construction of the road to the Prah.

Lieutenant A. B. Crosbie, Royal Marine Light Infantry, and Sub-Lieutenant Gerard R. Maltby, of Her Majesty's ship "Active," and Surgeon Henry T. Cox, of the "Amethyst," also landed with this party, and none of them rejoined their

ships till the cessation of hostilities.

I regret to say that I have lost the services of Lieutenant Noel as Senior and Gunnery Lieutenant of this ship, he having been invalided for the preservation of his life, through the ill effects

of this prolonged stay ashore.

Captain James W. V. Arbuckle, of the Royal Marine Battalion, who was appointed to take command of the Marines attached to the Brigade, having fallen sick, his place was most efficiently filled by Lieutenant Crosbie, who was present with his men in every engagement with the enemy, in cone of which he was slightly wounded.

Mr. Maltby, who is temporarily filling the Lieutenant's vacancy caused by the deeply to be regretted death of Captain William Hans Blake, of the "Druid," (who landed in command of the Brigade), is a young Officer of great promise in

the service, and I am pleased at having the opportunity of bringing his name to their Lord-

ship's favourable notice.

The services of Mr. Cox and the other Medical Officers of the Naval Brigade, will be brought to notice in a separate Despatch, in which it is my intention to lay before their Lordships the excellent arrangements of Staff-Surgeon Second Class Henry Fegan, M.D., of this ship (who landed in charge), for the care and comfort of the sick and wounded.

The steady behaviour of Lieutenant Robert B. Pipon, of this ship, and his Company when returning from the affair at Bouborassie, on the 31st January, on which occasion the rear guard was greatly harrassed, has been specially brought to my notice; and on another occasion this Officer is mentioned as having, with his Company, rendered the most material aid to Lord Gifford and his scouts at the destruction of Becquah.

I have a high opinion of Lieutenant Pipon's professional ability, and it is with much pleasure that I recommend him to the favourable notice of

their Lordships.

Captain Hunt Grubbe informs me that the services of Lieutenant William F. S. Mann, of Her Majesty's ship "Amethyst," who acted as Adjutant to the Brigade, were most valuable. This Officer bears a reputation of being a smart

and energetic Officer.

Sub-Lieutenant Wyatt Rawson, of Her Majesty's ship "Active," did very excellent work while attached to the Land Transport Service. His energy and tact did much to encourage the carriers, and as there was often very great difficulty in procuring people to transport stores and provisions to the front, the value of Mr. Rawson's services cannot be over-rated. There being a vacancy in the "Himalaya" for a Lieu-

tenant, I gave this Officer an acting order to fill it, and he has proceeded to England in that ship.

Sub-Lieutenant Rawson was wounded in the

thigh by a slug.

I notice with satisfaction that the services of Lieutenant Angus McLeod, of the "Barracouta," and Mr. Charles Gladstone, Midshipman of the "Druid," who acted as Aide-de-Camp to Captain Hunt Grubbe, are favourably recorded.

At the battle of Amoaful the left and right wings of the Brigade were respectively commanded by Commander Percy P. Luxmore (now acting Captain of the "Druid"), and Lieutenant Gerard H. U. Noel, already referred to, and the manner in which they led their men into action was highly creditable to them.

It is now my duty to place upon record the valuable assistance I have received in the conduction of affairs at the hands of Captain George Henry Parkin, of Her Majesty's ship "Victor

Emanuel.

During my absence in the front, this Officer carried out the duties of the port most ably and efficiently, and for this, as well as for the activity and zeal he displayed in his superintendence of the re-embarkation of the troops, my thanks are due to him.

The landing of the several regiments was superintended by Commander Herbert F. Crohan, the principal Transport Officer affoat, assisted by Mr. H. H. Hannay, Navigating Lieutenant of the "Active," and the manner in which both these Officers carried out this important service reflects very great credit on them.

Their Lordships will easily conceive the heavy and responsible duties which have devolved upon Commander Robert Lowther Byng, of my pendant ship, during these operations, and it is with much

satisfaction that I have to record the efficient and thorough manner in which he, at all times, conducted them.

The important service of blockading the windward coast, has, for the most part, been carried out under the direction of Captain Richard Bradshaw, who, in the "Encounter" was some time Senior Officer of a Squadron, specially placed under his orders. Lieutenant Edward Fitzgerald Day of the "Merlin," was for a long time detached on this service, and in common with the Lieutenants Commanding the other gun vessels similarly employed, showed great vigilance in preventing the landing of munitions of war within the limits of the blockade.

Captain Alfred John Chatfield, in Her Majesty's ship "Amethyst," at all times showed great zeal and activity in carrying out the service he was detailed for. For some time he was employed in guarding our position at Addah-Foah, at the entrance of the River Volta, and had charge of a station

extending from Accra to Elmina-Chica.

I regret that my multifarious duties gave me no opportunity to make an inspection of the "Amethyst," as, from what I have seen of the ship, I feel convinced my report could not have been other than satisfactory. I must now bring to the notice of their Lordships the valuable services of Acting Commander John Hext, who, when Lieutenant in Command of the "Decoy," was constantly employed in active service, which he always conducted with much intelligence and zeal; and I readily endorse the high enconiums which have been passed upon him by the various senior Officers whom he has served under during the many months he has been stationed on the Gold Coast. The appointment this Officer at present holds was given to him as a mark of my appreciation of his good services.

I wish to bring to the favourable notice of the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty the services of Mr. Thomas Cowd, Gunner Second Class, of this ship; this Officer landed at the commencement of the operations, and had charge of the carriers who transported the first supplies of stores

and provisions sent to the front.

Fever, brought on by exposure and hard work, obliged Mr. Cowd to return to the coast soon after the Naval Brigade was landed; he soon, however, resumed his ordinary duties on board the ship, and his conduct at all times deserves my praise. I cannot pass by the manner in which Mr. Harry S. F. Niblett, Sub-Lieutenant of this ship, has throughout performed his onerous duties. This young officer has had charge of the steam pinnace during the operations, and I cannot speak too highly of the way in which he executed his orders—I would point out that the services he performed were not merely those ordinarily assigned to an Officer of his standing-and on many occasions he has attracted my attention by the cheerful, active, creditable way in which he carried out whatever was required of him.

Their Lordships would observe that good conduct, zeal, and activity has characterised the services of the whole squadron, and in concluding my Despatch I have only to add that the aid rendered by those artificers of the squadron who were landed to construct buts, &c., along the road to the Prah, and who are reported to me for their good services in the enclosed letter from Major Home, R.E. (under whose directions they worked),

was most valuable.

I have, &c. (Signed) W. N. W. HEWETT,

Commodore.

The Secretary of the Admiralty.

Her Majesty's Ship "Tamar," Cape Coast Castle, February 19, 1874.

SIR,

I HAVE the honour to report the return of the Royal Naval Brigade under my command at Cape Coast Castle this morning, also that in pursuance of orders received on the beach the Officers. seamen, and marines comprising it have been sent to their respective ships.

On assuming the command of the Brigade at Acarafoum, on the 22nd of January, the strength was as follows: -Officers, 18; seamen, 154; marines, 54. The names of the Officers, with the respective duties assigned to them are as follows:-

Commander Percy Luxmore, Her Majesty's ship "Argus," Second in Command.

Lieutenant Gerard Noel, Her Majesty's

" Active," Brigade Major.

Lieutenant Edward S. Evans, Senior Lieutenant, Her Majesty's ship "Encounter," Commanding No. 4 Company.

Lieutenant A. B. Pipon, Her Majesty's ship "Active," Commanding No. 1 Company.

Lieutenant W. F. S. Mann, Senior Lieutenant Her Majesty's ship "Amethyst," Adjutant. Lieutenant Angus McLeod, Her Majesty's ship

"Barracouta," in charge of Transports.

Sub-Lieutenant Victor Bradshaw, Her Majesty's ship "Encounter," Sub-Lieutenant of Company. Sub-Lieutenant Charles Windham, Her Majesty's

ship "Active," Sub-Lieutenant of Company.

Sub-Lieutenant Gerald Maltby, Her Majesty's ship "Active," Commanding No. 3 Company. Sub-Lieutenant Tom Ficklin, Her Majesty's ship

"Active," Sub-Lieutenant of Company.

Sub-Lieutenant Wyatt Rawson, Her Majesty's ship "Active," Transports.

Sub-Lieutenant Augustus Coker, Her Majesty's ship "Druid," Commanding No. 2 Company. Sub-Lieutenant Archibald Kennedy Her Ma

Sub-Lieutenant Archibald Kennedy, Her Majesty's ship "Druid," Sub-Lieutenant of Company.

Midshipman Charles Gladstone, Her Majesty's ship "Druid," Aide-de-Camp to Commanding Officer.

Lieutenant Adolphus Crosbie, Royal Marine Light Infantry, Her Majesty's ship "Active,"

Commanding Royal Marines.

Lieutenant Richard Deane, Royal Marine Light Infantry, Commanding No. 2 Company Royal Marine Light Infantry.

Staff-Surgeon Henry Fegan, M.D., Her Majesty's

ship "Active," Principal Medical Officer.

Surgeon John Fisher, Her Majesty's ship "Decoy."
In addition to these, at Prahsu, Sub-Lieutenant Lloyd Matthews and Dr. Henry Cox were left in charge of sick, and at Quisah Sub-Lieutenant Robert L. Mundy and Mr. C. J. May,

Midshipman, joined the Brigade.

The Brigade proceeded by marches ranging from 10 to 13 miles per day en route to Coomassie. Nothing of note occurred until our arrival at Medowina, a small village adjacent to Kiang Boassa. Here we were ordered, in company with some of the 23rd Regiment, Wood's and Russell's Regiments, and Rait's Artillery, to attack the village of Boubarasu, where it was known a large body of the enemy was assembled. This was most successfully accomplished, with the oss on our part of 3 men wounded. No. 1 Comcany, commanded by Lieutenant R. B. Pipon, especially being noticed by Colonel M. Leod, C.B., for their steadiness when the rear guard was attacked in returning from the village. On the 31st January the battle of Amoaful was fought, full details of which have already been forwarded.

On this occasion the conduct of the whole Brigade was most creditable. My best thanks are due to Captain Percy Luxmore and Lieutenant Gerard Noel, who commanded the left and right wings respectively, and to the Officers under them, for the manner in which the men were taken into action and the steadiness shown under a heavy fire. Dr. Fisher accompanied the left wing and Dr. Turton (Staff), of the Army, the right, and our numerous wounded were, by them, on the field treated with the greatest skill and care.

Lieutenant Angus McLeod on this occasion, through the temporary indisposition of Lieutenant Deane, commanded his company of Marines throughout the day, and was highly spoken of by

Captain Luxmore.

On the following day the Brigade was again engaged in the destruction of Bequoi, having 1 man killed and 2 wounded. On this occasion Lord Gifford states, that "but for Lieutenant Pipon's Company, his scouts would have suffered most materially." The forward march was resumed on the 2nd February, the Brigade forming the rear guard, which position it retained until the occupation of Coomassie, occasionally detaching a portion for the purpose of protecting convoys.

The night of the 3rd was marked was by incessant rain, with thunder and lightning, the men being without shelter having left the baggage packed at Agomana to facilitate the rapid forward movements. On the morning of the 4th the battle of the Dah was fought, of which I have already furnished details. On this, as on every occasion, the Brigade evinced the same steadiness

and good conduct.

On February 6, at 6.30 A.M., we left Coomassie as advance guard, and after a very fatiguing march reached Agamama, distant about seventeen miles. The recrossing of the Dah was effected with great difficulty, the bridge being two feet under water. The Biue jackets and Kroomen here showed great skill in strengthening the buttresses and placing handrails.

From this time the health and strength of both officers and men became much impaired, and I regret to say that several serious cases of dysentery arose, many of which have since terminated farally.

We reached Prahsu on the 12th, leaving next day for Yancoomassie (Assim), en route, by

regular stages, to the coast.

The strength of the Naval Brigade on arrival at Cape Coast was as follows:—7 officers, 78 seamen, 32 marines.

I especially wish to recommend the following officers to your notice:—

Lieutenant Gerard Noel who has been landed since 27th November, 1873, and who is a most deserving steady Officer.

Lieutenant W. F. S. Mann, of whom I cannot speak too highly. He has been Adjutant to the Brigade, and is a most smart and energetic Officer.

Staff Surgeon Second Class Henry Fegan, has been night and day unremitting in his care of sick and wounded, his conduct has been beyond praise.

Sub-Lieutenant Wyatt Rawson, the efficient manner in which this Officer conducted the Transport, not only for the Naval Brigade, but in assisting the Control has been very noticeable. He was wounded at Amoaful.

Mr. Gladstone, Midshipman, served as my Aide-de-Camp and made himself of great use.

I have desired the different Officers who commanded companies to bring to the notice of their respective Captains, those petty officers, seamen, and marines whom they may think to be deserving.

I am, &c.,

(Signed) W. HUNT GRUBBE,
Captain in Charge of Naval Brigade.
Commodore W. H. W. Hewett, V.C., R.N.,

Her Majesty's ship "Active."

Royal Engineer Office, Cape Coast Castle, Sir, February 20, 1874.

I HAVE the honour to report that the Naval Carpenters, as per margin,* placed at my disposal some weeks ago by your kindness, have been paid up to date, and ordered to rejoin their ships this

evening.

I have much pleasure in reporting to you the universal good conduct of these men; their readiness in performing every duty they were called on to perform, no matter whether like pickaxe and shovel work they had no training in it, their cheerfulness under all difficulties often very great, and their readiness to help in every way, gave me the greatest satisfaction, and they were really most important and valuable assistance, more especially

Thomas Hoar, joined the detached party of Carpenters working with the Royal Engineers, from the Naval Brigade

about 7th January, 1874, together with Saunders.

^{*} List of Men.—"Active"—William Hansom, Carpenter's Mate; Richard Windsor, Shipwright; Thomas Hawse, Carpenter's Crew; James Cooper, Carpenter's Crew; Thomas Hoar, Carpenter's Crew. "Druid"—James Salter, Carpenter's Mate; James Llewellyn, Caulker's Mate; Thomas Richards, Carpenter's Crew; Joseph Parminter, Shipwright. "Amethyst"—William Weeks, Carpenter's Mate; Joshua Short, Shipwright; John Osborne, Shipwright. "Argus"—R. Netherway, Caulker. "Encounter"—George Saunders, Carpenter's Mate.

in the construction of the Prah bridge, made before the arrival of the 28th Company Royal Engineers. Where all have done their duty it is an invidious and unpleasant task to make selections, but those who more especially attracted my notice were Carpenter's Mate William Hansom, Shipwright Joseph Parminter, Carpenter's Mate James Salter; I need not say that when under fire all these men behaved most admirably.

I shall be very glad if these men's services

receive some recognition.

I have, &c.,

(Signed) R. HOME, Major,
Commanding Royal Engineers.
West Coast of Africa.

The Commodore
Commanding the Squadron.

"Active," at Cape Coast, March 4, 1874.

Sir,

IN my letter of the 3rd March, I abstained from touching upon the individual services of the Medical Officers of the Squadron, as I felt that they demanded my special attention, and that I could not have done justice to them excepting in a special Despatch.

I have now the honour to request that you will acquaint the Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, that the care and attention paid to the wants of the sick and wounded, as they came down from the front, by the Staff-Surgeons in charge of the Hospital arrangements at Cape

Coast, viz.:-

Dr. Ahmuty Irwin (of the "Simoom," and afterwards in the "Himalaya");

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Dr. John Watt Reid, R.N. (of the Transport

No. 15, "Nebraska"); and

Dr. William J. Hamilton, of the "Tamar" (for a short period during the absence of the "Simoom" and "Himalaya," and before the arrival of the "Nebraska"),

could not have been surpassed.

Referring to the enclosed letter addressed to me by Major-General Sir Garnet Wolseley, forwarding a copy of a report made to him by Surgeon-Major W. A. McKinnon, the Army Principal Medical Officer, their Lordships' attention will be attracted by the excellent services of Dr. Henry Fegan Staff-Surgeon Second Class of this ship (who was in medical charge of the Naval Brigade), and Dr. James W. Fisher (late "Decoy"), attached to his Staff.

I cannot say more in praise of these Officers, services, than that I fully concur in the opinions expressed by the Major-General and Dr. McKinnon.

Dr. Fegan's kindness and unremitting attention to the sick have on many occasions during the period he has served under my command. come under my special notice, and in my letter of 7th January, 1874, I referred to this Officer's conspicuous conduct in the field.

Dr. Fegan has represented to me that Surgeon James W. Fisher, M.D., identified himself from first to last most thoroughly with his duties, much

to his satisfaction.

Whilst attached to the left wing at the battle of Amoaful, this Officer had to endure heavy fire for five hours.

Surgeon James McCarthy, M.D., was selected for the onerous and highly responsible duty of taking charge of the Naval Hospital established at Prahsu, where the sick and wounded accumulated from the front. Whilst in the route of march, he shared the duties of the brigade, and night and day this Officer performed his duty in a manner which excited the esteem of all.

Surgeon H. T. Cox was selected from the squadron for charge of the first landing party, and subsequently joined the Brigade. He was detailed to convoy the sick and wounded along the line of march, and he performed his duty with such care and regard for their comfort as to merit the

special approbation of his superiors.

The services of Dr. Walter Reid, attached to the Transport Service, in his capacity as Health Officer, deserve the favourable consideration of their Lordships. His duties have been very important, having to board all ships to inspect their bills of health, and to his careful inspection of the state of the health of those on board, may in a great measure be attributed the happy circumstance of there having been no epidemic disease introduced amongst the Europeans stationed at Cape Coast from the many infected ports to leeward of it.

Dr. Fegan has specially drawn my attention to the valuable services of 15th Company, Plymou h Division, Richard Townsend (invalided), and he states that though efficiently performing his other duties "he attended the sick and wounded throughout the campaign, and on the termination of each day's march he acted as dispenser." I should be glad if their Lordships deemed it right to give this man some pecuniary reward.

I have, &c.,

W. N. W. HEWETT,

Commodore.

The Secretary of the Admiralty.

Government House, Cape Coast, Sir, 23rd February, 1874.

IN forwarding you the enclosed copy of a letter received from the Principal Medical Officer of the force under my command, I have much pleasure in bringing to your notice the excellent service performed by Staff-Surgeon Fegan, R.N.

I fully concur in everything that has been said by Surgeon-Major Mackinnon regarding this Officer, his great exertions and untiring zeal having come under my personal observation.

I have by this mail forwarded a copy of the Principal Medical Officer's letter to the Secretary

of State for War.

I have, &c.
(Signed) G. J. WOLSELEY,
Major-General.

Commodore Hewett, V.C., Cape Coast.

> Principal Medical Officers' Office, Cape Coast Castle, February 21, 1874.

Sir,

I HAVE the honour to bring to the notice of his Excellency the Major-General Commanding, for the information of the Lords of the Admiralty, the valuable services rendered during the Ashantee campaign by Staff-Surgeon Fegan, R.N.

In the several engagements this Officer was always present with his Brigade under fire, and was most devoted and fearless in the performance of his duties in the field: his constant care and attention to the sick and wounded always merited my highest approbation; and the admirable arrangements made by him for their welfare

evidenced that he is possessed of high administrative abilities. I cannot speak too highly of the manner in which this Officer has performed his duties, and co-operated with myself and the other Medical Officers, and of his excellent services, not only to the Officers and men specially under his own care, but to all others of the force that required his aid.

I have no doubt his services will be brought to the notice of the proper authorities by the Senior Naval Officer, but I feel that I would not be doing my duty, as Principal Medical Officer of the expedition, if I did not specially record my opinion of the zeal and ability displayed by this Officer in the discharge of his professional duties, and of the

valuable services he rendered throughout.

Before concluding this letter, I must also bring under your most favourable consideration the very excellent services rendered by Surgeon Fisher, R.N., who was in all the engagements under fire, and who has been most favourably reported to me by his superior Officer for his zeal and devotion to duty, and during the whole time he has been in the field.

(Signed)

I have, &c.,
W. A. MACKINNON, Surgeon-Major, Principal Medical Officer.

The Chief of the Staff, Head-Quarters, Cape Coast.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 24, 1874.

Foreign Office, March 23, 1874.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. N. G. Seymour as Consul at Queenstown, with jurisdiction over Cork, Kinsale, Youghal, Crookhaven, and Skibbereen, for His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Dr. Mühlberg as Vice-Consul for the Port of

London for the German Empire.

Whitehall, March 18, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend George Donald MacNaughtan to the church and parish of Ardoch, in the presbytery of Auchterarder, and county of Perth, vacant by the translation of the Reverend Charles MacGregor to the church and parish of Dornoch.

Crown Office, March 21, 1874.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Leicester.

Northern Division.

The Right Honourable John James Robert Manners (commonly called Lord John Manners), Her Majesty's Postmaster-General.

March 23.

County of Stafford.

Northern Division.

The Right Honourable Sir Charles Bowyer Adderley, President of the Committee of Privy Council for Trade and Plantations.

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Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, March 23, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Rome announcing that in consequence of the re-appearance of the cattle plague, the introduction into Italy of fresh hides, &c., whether of cattle or sheep, from the Syrian coast has been forbidden, but that dried hides, wool, &c., from Syria and Palestine may be admitted after such sanitary treatment as may be prescribed in each case by the Home Department.

(H. 1969.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, March 23, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for the Colonies a copy of a Despatch from the Governor of British Honduras, dated the 13th ultimo, stating that two deaths, generally attributed to yellow fever, had occurred in Belize.

(H. 1970.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, March 23, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for the Colonies a copy of a Despatch from the Governor of British Honduras stating that the Notification declaring Havana and other Cuban ports to be infected was withdrawn on the 22nd January last.

Admiralty, 20th March, 1874.

Navigating Sub-Lieutenant James Frederick Foot has been this day promoted to the rank of Navigating Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Admiralty, 23rd March, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Sub-Lieutenant Lionel R. C. Boyle has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 20th instant.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been pleased to approve of Major Lachlan Duff-Gordon being appointed Vice Lieutenant of the County of Banff. Dated 19th March, 1874.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Banff.

Sir Robert John Abercromby, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th March, 1874.

Alexander William George Duff, the Viscount Macduff, to be Deputy Lieutenaut. Dated 19th March, 1874.

Thomas Duff Gordon Duff, younger, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th March, 1874.

Adam Hay Gordon, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th March, 1874.

Charles Henry Gordon Lennox, Earl of March and Darnley, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th March, 1874.

Jan Charles Grant Ogilvie, the Viscount Reidhaven, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th

March, 1874.

Sir Robert Glendonwyn Gordon, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th March, 1874.

County of Stafford.

The Honourable Henry Dudley Ryder to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 16th March, 1874. Edward Pakenham Alderson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 16th March, 1874.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 27, 1874.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, March 26, 1874.

NOTICE is hereby given, that Her Majesty's Birthday will be kept on Saturday, the 30th of May next.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, March 26, 1874.

NOTICE is hereby given, that The Queen will hold a Drawing Room at Buckingham Palace, on Tuesday, the 5th of May next, at three o'clock.

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S DRAWING ROOM AT BUCKINGHAM PALACE.

By Her Majesty's Command.

The Ladies who propose to attend Her Majesty's Drawing Room, at Buckingham Palace, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names clearly written thereon, one to be left with the Queen's Page in Attendance, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to the Queen.

PRESENTATIONS.

Any Lady who proposes to be presented to The Queen must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, before twelve o'clock, two clear days before the Drawing Room, a card with her name written thereon, and with the name of the Lady by whom she is to be presented. In order to carry out the existing regulation, that no presentation can be made at a Drawing Room excepting by a Lady actually attending that Court, it is also necessary that an intimation from the Lady who is to make the presentation, of her intention to be present, should accompany the presentation card above referred to, which will be submitted to The Queen for Her Majesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's Command, that no presentations shall be made at the Drawing Room, except in accordance with the above regulations.

It is particularly requested that in every case the names be very distinctly written upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing

them to the Queen.

It is not expected that Gentlemen will present themselves at Drawing Rooms, except in attendance on the Ladies of their families.

Any Gentleman who under these circumstances should desire to be presented to The Queen, will observe the same regulations as are in force for Her Majesty's Levees.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at two

o'clock.

HERTFORD, Lord Chamberlain.

Foreign Office, March 27, 1874.

THE Earl of Derby, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has received the following Letter from Lieutenant-General Johan von Bülow, Envoy Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary from His Majesty the King of Denmark, at this Court:—

Legation of Denmark,

My Lord, London, March 27, 1874.

IN pursuance of a contract between the Danish

IN pursuance of a contract between the Danish Government and the house of N. M. Rothschild and Sons, respecting the 3 per Cent. Danish-English Loan of 1825, a number of bonds to the amount of £87,200 have been drawn for amortization, and as the contract stipulates that the numbers of the bonds so drawn, should be published in the London Gazette before the 31st of March, I have the honour to request that your Excellency will kindly allow that the necessary publication may be inserted in to-morrow's Gazette.

I have, &c.,
(Signed) J. v. BULOW.
To His Excellency the Earl of Derby.

DANISH THREE PER CENT. LOAN, 1825.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in conformity with the terms of, and pursuant to the right reserved in the contract of the above Loan, the undermentioned Bonds amounting to £87,200 destined for the Sinking Fund of the 30th day of September next, were, this day, in accordance with the instructions of the Royal Danish Ministry of Finance in Copenhagen, drawn for redemption at the counting-house of Messrs. N. M. Rothschild and Sons, in presence of His Excellency Lieutenant-General J. von Bulow, Minister Plenipotentiary of His Majesty the King of Denmark at the Court of St. James, of Leopold de Rothchild, Esq., partner in the firm of Messrs. N. M. Rothschild and Sons, and of the undersigned Notary Public, and will be paid off at par, at the counting-house of the said Messrs. N. M. Rothschild and Sons, on the said 30th day of September next, with the interest due thereon up to that date.

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London, 24th March, 1874.

(L.S.) Douglas J. Newton, Notary Public.

Witness to the Signature of Douglas J. Newton: -

FRAS. JOURDAN,

9, Gracechurch-street, London.

Privy Council Office, March 21, 1874.

This day, the cath of office of First Commissioner of Her Majesty's Office of Works, &c., was taken by Henry Charles George Gordon-Lennox, Esquire (commonly called Lord Henry Gordon-Lennox).

Buckingham Palace, March 26, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Robert Hawthorn Collins, Esq., to be Private Secretary to His Royal Highness the Prince Leopold.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint the Honourable Alexander Grantham Yorke to

be Equerry to His Royal Highness.

Crown Office, March 26, 1874.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Lancaster.

Northern Division.

Thomas Henry Clifton, of Lytham Hall, Lancashire, Esq., in the place of the Right Honourable John Wilson Patten (now Baron Winmarleigh), called up to the House of Peers.

County of the Town of Galway.

Francis Hugh O'Donnell, of 26, Moore-street, Chelsea, Esq., in the room of William Ulick Tristram, Viscount St. Lawrence (now Earl of Howth), in the Peerage of Ireland.

March 27.

Falkirk District of Burghs.

John Ramsay, of Kildalton, Argyllshire, Esq.

Admiralty, 25th March, 1874...

Royal Marines.

The undermentioned promotions have taken place in the Royal Marine Artillery; viz.:--

Captain and Brevet Major Edmund Henry Cox to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Alexander,

retired. Dated 24th March, 1874.

Supernumerary Lieutenant John Layland Needham to be Captain, and to be borne on the Supernumerary List of the Royal Marine Artillery, while holding the appointment of Assistant to the Professor of Fortification at the Royal Naval College at Greenwich. Dated 24th March, 1874.

Lieutenant William George Tomlin Bickford to be Captain, vice Cox. Dated 24th March,

1874.

Admiralty, 25th March, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List of their rank; viz.:—Surgeon Edward W. Leet from the 20th instant. Chief Engineer Peter Steil, from the 9th instant.

Admiralty, 26th March, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Staff Surgeon William McKenzie Saunders, M.D., has this day been placed on the Retired List, and authorised to assume the rank of Retired Deputy Inspector-General of Hospitals and Fleets from the date of his retirement.

War Office, Pall Mall, 27th March, 1874.

- 1st Regiment of Life Guards, Captain Cecil Thorold retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 2nd Dragoon Guards, Louis Eric Ames, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant J. F. Stuart Menteth, promoted. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 4th Dragoon Guards, Sub-Lieutenant Henry Ernest Baskerville Walton to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd March, 1873.
- 1st Dragoons, Sub-Lieutenant Richard William Blackwood Ker to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd March, 1873.
- 4th Hussars, Quartermaster Serjeant William Leitch to be Quartermaster, vice M. Carey, retired upon temporary half-pay. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 7th Hussars, Quartermaster Serjeant William Morison to be Quartermaster, vice W. Hodgkinson, transferred to a Brigade Depôt. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 9th Lancers, Sub-Lieutenant Francis William Edwin Maunsell, from the 21st Hussars, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant P. Green, promoted. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 12th Lancers, Sub-Licutenant Edward Wentworth Fisher Holden Alleyne to be Licutenant. Dated 16th March, 1874.
- 16th Lancers, Sub-Lieutenant Henry Richard Lloyd Howard to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd March, 1874.

- 20th Hussars, Sub-Lieutenant William Gee Delpratt resigns his Commission. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 21st Hussars, Sub-Lieutenant William Edward Ker Fox to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd March, 1874.
 - Scots Fusilier Guards, Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Gerard Smith retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 15th Foot, Edward William Dun, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant J. R. Best, retired. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 17th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant William Stanley Wodehouse resigns his Commission. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 20th Foot, Captain John Aldridge, about to be appointed to the Militia, retires upon half-pay. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 25th Foot, Captain William Henry Henzell retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- Serjeant-Major Henry Lonsdale to be Quartermaster vice W. Fraser, transferred to a Brigade Depôt. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 28th Foot, Lieutenant Francis Charles Annesley retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- Quartermaster-Serjeant William John Graham to be Quartermaster, vice T. Lumsden, transferred to a Brigade Depôt. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 46th Foot, Captain Richard Edward Brookes retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission, Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 51st Foot, Captain Robert Norman Franks retires

- from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 59th Foot, Lieutenant William George Small resigns his appointment as Adjutant. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 73rd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant William Augustus Collings to be Lieutenant. Dated 16th March, 1873.
- 74th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Claude Maxwell MacDonald to be Lieutenant, dated 8th June, 1872, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to bear date 16th March, 1872.
- 81st Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Thomas Henry Burton Forster to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd March, 1872.
- 82nd Foot, David Phelips Chapman, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant S. J. R. Toms, retired. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 96 h Foot, Lieutenant Charles Stuart Percival Willoughby to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant A. C. G. Leman, promoted. Dated 24th February, 1874.
- 103rd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Charles Coningham to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd March, 1872.
- 104th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant William Joseph Blundell resigns his Commission. Dated 28th March, 1874.

CONTROL DEPARTMENT.

Pay Sub-Department, Acting Assistant-Paymaster Henry Coleridge Dawson to be Assistant-Paymaster. Dated 18th March, 1873.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon-General Sir William Mure Muir, K.C.B., M.D., Honorary Physician to Her Majesty, to 1874. 2 H be Director-General of the Army Medical Department, vice Sir Thomas Galbraith Logan, K.C.B., M.D., whose period of service has expired. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Surgeon Robert Lindsay, M.B., retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 5th March, 1874.

VETERINARY DEPARTMENT.

Veterinary-Surgeon on probation Oliver Thomas Slocock resigns his appointment. Dated 28th March, 1874.

RETIRED FULL PAY.

Major William Rennie, V.C., half-pay, late 90th Foot, retires upon full-pay. Dated 28th March, 1874.

BREVET.

Major William Rennie, V.C., half-pay, late 90th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel upon retiring on full-pay. Dated 28th March, 1874.

Lieutenant and Deputy Commissary Thomas Taylor, Bengal Establishment, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 28th

March, 1874.

S. Purdon, Assistant Superintendent of Army Schools in Bengal, to have the local rank of

Lieutenant. Dated 28th March, 1874.

Apothecary Daniel Wedgeberry, retired Bengal Medical Scrvice, to have the honorary and local rank of Surgeon. Dated 28th March, 1874.

Apothecary Gasper De Rozario, Bombay Medical Service, to have the honorary and local rank of Surgeon. Dated 28th March, 1874.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to permit the 19th Hussars to bear on its standard "The Elephant," with the word "Assaye," as well as the word "Niagara," as granted to the old 19th Light Dragoons.

India Office, 27th March, 1874.

HER Majesty has been pleased to permit the undermentioned Officer to resign his Commission:—

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

Captain Arthur Godfrey.

County of Orkney and Zetland.

James Traill, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th March, 1874.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of MARCH 31, 1874.

War Office, March 30, 1874.

DESPATCHES, of which the following are copies, were received at the War Office, from Major-General Sir Garnet J. Wolseley, K.C.M.G., C.B., Commanding Her Majesty's Forces on the Gold Coast, on the 2nd January 2 H 2

and 7th March respectively, but have not hitherto been published:—

Head Quarters, Cape Coast Castle, Sir, December 15, 1873.

In my Despatch which accompanies this, I have had the great satisfaction to report that the Ashanti army has crossed the River Prah into its own territory, and that my advanced parties are in occupation of Prahsue, on the south bank.

The first phase of this war has thus been brought to a most satisfactory conclusion, without the assistance of any English troops, except the few marines and the available blue-jackets whom I found here on my arrival on the 2nd October last.

At that date the position of affairs was as follows:—An invading army of Ashantis numbering between twenty and thirty thousand men, having overrun the Fanti territory, occupied threatening positions within an easy march of Her Majesty's Forts at Elmina and Cape Coast Castle. The country was filled with alarms of intended attacks upon our settlements; public contidence in us was at a very low cbb, every movement on our part was known to the enemy, regarding whose intentions, movements, numbers, or even exact position, little information was possessed by our authorities.

I submit that the happy change which has been since that time effected has been accomplished by the untiring exertions of the few carefully selected Staff and special service Officers who landed with me here at the beginning of October.

In the second phase of this war, when the campaign is opened in Ashanti territory beyond the Prah, by a brigade of English troops, the operations may be more brilliant than those which have resulted in forcing the enemy to retreat into

their own country; but I feel assured that they cannot entail upon those engaged in them the hard work, exposure, and privations that have been so cheerfully endured for the last two months and a half by the small band of Officers of whom I speak. Of them one has been killed in action, two very severely wounded, and several slightly wounded.

The material used in the late operations (the sailors and marines, the detachment 2nd West India Regiment, and the natives) was here before their arrival; but the raising and disciplining the natives, their organization for the field, and the directions given to the various forces, has been the work of these Officers, with whom I would wish to couple the names of Lieutenant-Colonel Festing, Royal Marine Artillery, and Lieutenant Gordon, 98th Regiment, whose zeal and energy deserve all praise—the former Officer has been twice wounded, but never prevented from remaining at his work.

In my Despatch of 15th October, wherein I reported that Colonel McNeill, V.C., C.M.G., my chief Staff Officer, had been very severely wounded, I stated my high opinion of his abilities, and how deeply I felt being deprived of his valuable

services.

Since then his very arduous work has been carried on to my entire satisfaction by Major Baker, Assistant Adjutant-General, to whose untiring exertions much of our success is owing.

The amount of work performed by him can

The amount of work performed by him can only be realized by those who have witnessed it, as the Staff duties with a regular army afford no data upon which an opinion can be formed of the labour that devolves upon the chief Staff Officer of a force such as that under my command. As Major Baker is about to be superseded in his

position as chief Staff Officer by a senior Officer now on his way here, I take this opportunity of bringing his name to your favourable notice.

Major Baker has been ably assisted by the Deputy Assistant Adjutant-General, Captain Huyshe and Captain Buller, who have performed their work most efficiently. The former has had charge of the Survey, and the latter of the Intelligence Department.

Of the Special Scrvice Officers, where all have worked so hard and so earnestly, it is no easy

matter to particularize individuals.

The two seniors, Lieutenant-Colonel Wood, V.C., and Major Russell, have each raised a regiment of the strength named in the margin.* Lieutenant-Colonel Wood commanded at the engagement at Essaman, as mentioned in my Despatch of October 15th, in which I stated my appreciation of the manner in which he carried out the orders he had received. He is now commanding the advanced posts from Mansue to the River Prah, and displays both zeal and ability in the discharge of his duties. Major Russell had the good fortune to command at Abrakrampa when that place was attacked for two days and nights by the main body of the enemy under their Commander-in-Chief. The attacks of the first day and night are well described in Major Russell's modest report which I had the honour to enclose in my despatch of the 7th ultimo. The defence, resulting in the hurried retreat of the enemy, was conducted by him in the most spirited and able manner. I have great pleasure in bringing the names of Lieutenant-Colonel Wood, V.C., and Major Russell to your special notice.

Captain Rait, Commanding Royal Artillery, has raised and drilled a battery composed of Houssas

^{*} Wood's Regiment, 413; Russell's Regiment, 540.

He has worked indefatigably under great disadvantages. He is a soldier eminently qualified for warfare of this nature, and he seems to regard difficulties as necessary evils to be made light of and overcome. I am anxious to bring his name to your notice, as he, like Major Baker, is about to be superseded by a senior officer of Royal Artillery sent from England.

Major Home, Commanding Royal Engineers, has worked untiringly since we landed, and few that have not inspected the results of his labour could believe it possible that so much could have been performed in two and a half month's with the

small assistance at his disposal.

The Officers of the Control and Medical Departments have worked with the greatest zeal and energy; but as the end of the first phase of the war does not mark any distinct epoch in their duties, I shall reserve bringing them individually before you till the termination of hostilities.

I have, &c.

(Signed) G. J. WOLSELEY.

The Right Hon. the Major-General.

Secretary of State for War.

Head Quarters, Agimamu, 13 miles south of Coomassie, February 7, 1874.

SIR, February 7, 1874. IT is with the greatest regret that I have to report, for the information of His Royal Highness the Field Marshal Commanding in Chief, the death of Captain Buckle, Royal Engineers, and Lieutenant Eyre, 90th Light Infantry, both of whom were mortally wounded in action against the enemy; the former, at the battle of Amoaful, on the 31st ult., and the latter at that of Ordasu, on the 4th instant.

In making this report, I cannot refrain from stating what a great loss the army has experienced in the death of these two gallant Officers, who expired within an hour of receiving their wounds.

Captain Buckle was, undoubtedly, one of the most accomplished and practical Engineer Officers

of his rank in the Service.

(Signed) I have, &c.,
G. J. WOLSELEY,
Major-General.

The Adjutant-General to the Forces, &c. &c. &c.

Whitehall, March 28, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignities of Baron and Earl of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto Henry Thomas, Baron Ravensworth, and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, by the names, styles, and titles of Baron Eslington, of Eslington Park, in the county of Northumberland, and Earl of Ravensworth, of Ravensworth Castle, in the county palatine of Durham.

Whitehall, March 28, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to give and grant unto Sir Samuel Baker, Knt., Her Royal licence and authority that he may accept and wear the Insignia of the Imperial Order of the Medjidie of the Second Class, and of the Order of the Osmanie of the Second Class, conferred upon him by the Sultan, in approbation of his services while actually and entirely employed by His Imperial Majesty beyond the Queen's dominions.

War Office, March 28, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to signify Her intention to confer the decoration of the Victoria Cross on the undermentioned Officer and Non-Commissioned Officer, whose claims to the same have been submitted for Her Majesty's approval, for acts of bravery performed by them during the recent Ashanti War, as recorded against their names; viz.:—

24th Regiment.

Lieutenant Lord Gifford.

For his gallant conduct during the operations,

and especially at the taking of Becquah.

The Officer commanding the Expeditionary Force reports that Lord Gifford was in charge of the Scouts after the Army crossed the Prah, and that it is no exaggeration to say that since the Adansi Hills were passed, he daily carried his life in his hand in the performance of his most dangerous duties. He hung upon the rear of the enemy, discovering their position, and ferreting out their intentions. With no other white man with him, he captured numerous prisoners; but Sir Garnet Wolseley brings him forward for this mark of Royal favour most especially for his conduct at the taking of Becquah, into which place he penetrated with his scouts before the troops carried it, when his gallantry and courage were most conspicuous.

42nd Regiment.

Lance-Serjeant Samuel McGaw.

Date of Act of Bravery, January 31, 1874. For having at the battle of Amoaful led his Section through the bush in the most excellent manner, continuing to do so throughout the whole day, although badly wounded early in the engagement.

War Office, March 31, 1874.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the following promotions in, and appointments to, the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

To be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Most Honourable Order; viz.:—

Major-General Sir Garnet Joseph Wolseley, K.C.M.G., C.B.

Captain John Edmund Commerell, R.N., C.B., V.C.

Captain William Nathan Wrighte Hewett, R.N., V.C.

Colonel Sir Archibald Alison, Bart., C.B.

Colonel John Chetham M'Leod, C.B., 42nd Regiment.

Deputy Surgeon-General Anthony Dickson Home, C.B., V.C.

To be Ordinary Members of the Military Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Most Honourable Order; viz.:—

Captain Walter James Hunt Grubbe, R.N.

Captain the Honourable Edmund Robert Fremantle, R.N.

Colonel John Carstairs M'Neill, V.C., C.M.G., late 48th Regiment.

Colonel George Richards Greaves, late 70th Regiment.

Colonel Francis Worgan Festing, Royal Marine Artillery.

Captain Percy Pitt Luxmoore, R.N.

Colonel Henry Evelyn Wood, V.C., 90th Regiment.

Colonel George Pomeroy Colley, 2nd Regiment. Lieutenant - Colonel the Honourable Savage Mostyn, 23rd Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Maxwell, 1st West

India Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Daniel Webber, 2nd West India Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Frederick Warren, Rifle Brigade.

Lieutenant-Colonel Baker Creed Russell, 13th Hussars.

Lieutenant-Colonel Duncan Macpherson, 42nd Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Cunningham Scott, 42nd Regiment.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Home, Royal Engi-

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Durand Baker, 18th Regiment.

Major Redvers Henry Buller, 60th Regiment.

Major Arthur John Rait, Royal Artillery.

Major William Francis Butler, late 69th Regiment.

Deputy Controller Matthew Bell Irvine, C.M.G.

Staff Surgeon Ahmuty Irwin, R.N.

Surgeon-Major Thomas Macdougall Bleckley, M.D.

Staff Surgeon Henry Fegan, M.D., R.N. Surgeon-Major Robert William Jackson.

Surgeon-Major Charles Benjamin Mosse, African Medical Service.

Downing Street, March 28, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments:-George Thomas Robert Kemp, Esq., to be a Member of the Executive Council of the Bahama Islands; Charles Rodgers Nesbitt, Frederick Duncombe, James Nibbs Brown, and William Gray Rattray, Esqrs., to be Members of the Legislative Council of the Bahama Islands; Thomas Scott, Robert Little, M.D., and William Ramsay Scott, Esqrs., to be Members of the Legislative Council of the Straits Settlements; and John Blades Currey, Esq., to be Secretary to the Government of the Province of Griqua Land West, John Cyprian Thompson, Esq., to be Attorney-General, Richard William Hoskins Giddy, Esq., to be Treasurer, and Francis Henry Samuel Orpen, Esq., to be Surveyor-General for that Province.

House of Commons.

By virtue of an Act passed in the twenty-fourth year of the reign of His late Majesty King George the Third, intituled "An Act to repeal so much "of two Acts, made in the tenth and fifteenth years of the reign of His present Majesty, as "authorizes the Speaker of the House of "Commons to issue his Warrant to the Clerk of the Crown for making out Writs for the election of Members to serve in Parliament, in the manner therein mentioned, and for substituting other provisions for the like purposes:"

I do hereby nominate, appoint, and authorize the Right Honourable Joseph Warner Henley, the Right Honourable Spencer Horatio Walpole, the Right Honourable John George Dodson, Samuel Whitbread, Esq., and Henry Cecil Raikes. Esq., being Members of the House of Commons, or any one or more of them, to execute all and singular the powers given to the Speaker of the House of Commons for the time being, for issuing Warrants

to the Clerk of the Crown, in cases as in the said

Act specified.

Given under my hand and seal this thirtieth day of March, in the year of our Lord one thousand eight hundred and seventy-four.

H. Brand, Speaker.

L.S.

Whitehall, March 21, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto William Carlisle Sayer, Clerk, Master of Arts of the University of Cambridge, Rector of Saint Leonards, Wallingford, in the county of Berks, second son of Edward Lane Sayer, Clerk, Master of Arts of the University of Cambridge, Vicar of Pulloxhill, in the county of Bedford, deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may, in compliance with a direction contained in the last will and testament of his uncle, Henry Collier Milward (heretofore Henry Collier Sayer), of York-street, Portman-square, in the county of Middlesex, Esquire, deceased, take and use the surname of Milward in addition to and after that of Sayer, and that he and they may bear the arms of Milward quarterly in the first quarter with his and their own family arms; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

Admiralty, 30th March, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Chief Engineer Samuel Thomas Singer has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Admiralty, 31st March, 1874.

The following promotions in Her Majesty's Fleet have this day been made for services rendered during the recent Ashantee Campaign:—

Commander Percy Pitt Luxmoore to be Captain in Her Majesty's Fleet,

Lieutenant John Hext to be Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet,

Sub-Lieutenant Gerald Rivers Maltby to be Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet,

Staff Surgeon Second Class Henry Fegan, M.D., to be Staff Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, with the seniority of 28th instant.

Commander Prescott William Stephens to be Captain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Lieutenants:

Frederick Edwards, Edmund George Bourke, Edward FitzGerald Day, Gerard Henry Uctred Noel, Gordon Charles Young,

to be Commanders in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Sub-Lieutenants:

Augustus Heyliger Coker, Archibald James Pocklington, Lloyd William Mathews, Archibald Ewart Clark Kennedy, Charles Windham, Conyers Lang, Spencer Henry Metcalfe Login, Harry Seawell Frank Niblett, Henry Ponsonby, Hugh Robert Evans,

Wyatt Rawson,

to be Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Navigating Lieutenant Hugh Halliday Hannay to be Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Navigating Sub-Lieutenants:

Thomas Edward Butcher Cope,

Charles Heyward,

to be Navigating Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Staff Surgeons:

John Watt Reid (b), M.D.,

Ahmuty Irwin,

to be Deputy Inspectors General of Hospitals and Fleets.

Staff Surgeons Second Class:

Richard Eustage.

Thomas Colan, M.D.,

Francis Hamilton Moore,

to be Staff Surgeons in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Surgeons:

Archibald Grant Colquhoun, James William Fisher, M.D.,

to be Staff Surgeons Second Class in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Assistant Paymasters:

Alfred de Denne,

George Frederick Mylius Kent,

Edmund Hickson,

to be Paymasters in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Engineers:

George Thompson, James Orchard,

to be Chief Engineers in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Gunners Second Class.

Charles Burch, Thomas Cowd,

to be Gunners First Class in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Boatswains Second Class:

Henry White (a), William Potter,

to be Boatswains First Class in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Carpenters Second Class:

John Hill, Charles Head.

to be Carpenters First Class in Her Majesty's Fleet.

The above promotions take effect from this date.

The undermentioned Petty Officers will be promoted to the rank of Acting Carpenter Second Class, when they become qualified for that rank:—

Carpenter's Mates:

William Hansom, James Salter.

> War Office, Pall Mall, 31si March, 1874.

12th Regiment of Lancers, Lieutenant the Honourable Henry John Lindley Wood, from the 10th Hussars, to be Captain, vice J. Henderson, retired. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Corps of Royal Engineers.

To be Colone!s-Commandant.

Lieutenant-General (serving with the local rank of General in the East Indies) Robert Cornelis, Lord Napier of Magdala, G.C.B., G.C.S.I. (late Bengal). Dated 1st April, 1874. Major-General Edward William Durnford. Dated 1st April, 1874.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel William Lawtie Morrison, vice J. S. Hawkins, removed as a General Officer. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Daniel George Robinson (late Bengal), on the Seconded

List. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Waterloo Hutchinson (late Bengal), vice J. R. Becher, C.B., removed as a General Officer. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Alexander Fraser, C.B. (late Bengal), vice R. Maclagan, removed as a General Officer. Dated 1st

April, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel John William Playfair (late Bombay), vice H. W. B. Beli, removed as a General Officer. Dated 1st April, 1874.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Mann Parsons, from the Supernumerary List, vice Brevet Colonel W. L. Morrison. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant Colonel James John M'Leod Innes, V.C. (late Bengal), on the

Seconded List. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel George Tomkyns Chesney (late Bengal), on the Seconded List. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Major Thomas George Montgomerie (late Bengal), vice Brevet Colonel C. W. Hutchinson.

Dated 1st April, 1874.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William Edmund Warrand (late Bengal), vice Brevet 1874. 2 I

Colonel A. Taylor, C.B., removed as a General Officer. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Major George Ayton Craster (late Bengal), vice

A. Fraser, C.B. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Major Edward Burnes Holland (late Bombay), vice Brevet Colonel J. W. Playfair. Dated 1st April, 1874.

To be Majors.

Captain Henry Cooper Seddon, vice Brevet Colonel C. G. Gordon, C.B., serving on the temporary Reserve List. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Parry Lambert (late Bengal), vice T. G.

Montgomerie. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain John Magee McNeile (late Bengal), vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel W. A. Warrand. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Colin Campbell Scott Moncrieff (late Bengal), vice G. A. Craster. Dated 1st April,

1874.

Captain Augustus Le Messurier (late Bombay), on the Seconded List. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain William Merriman (late Bombay), vice E. B. Holland. Dated 1st April, 1874.

To be Captains.

Captain Oliver Beauchamp Coventry St. John (late Bengal), from the Supernumerary List, vice P. Lambert. Dated 1st April, 1874. Lieutenant Henry Loftus Lewis, vice R. N.

Lieutenant Henry Loftus Lewis, vice R. N. Buckle, killed in action. Dated 1st February,

1874.

Lieutenant Henry Champernowne, vice W. Coningham (late Madras), deceased. Dated 10th February, 1874.

Lieutenant Clayton Scudamore Beauchamp, vice A. L. Buckle, deceased. Dated 25th February,

1874.

Lieutenant William Osborn, vice R. C. Price, resigned. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Lieutenant Lestock Francis Boileau, vice H. C.

Seddon. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Lieutenant Thomas Brown Blake Savi, vice W. Merriman (late Bombay). Dated 1st April, 1874.

Lieutenant William Broadfoot (late Bengal), vice

J. M. McNeile. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Lieutenant George Frederick Leycester Marshall (late Bengal), vice C. C. S. Moncrieff. Dated 1st April, 1874.

CONTROL DEPARTMENT.

Assistant - Controller (with the local rank of Deputy - Controller on the West Coast of Africa) Matthew Bell Irvine, C.M.G., to be Deputy-Controller. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Commissary Charles D. O'Connor to be Assistant-Controller. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Supply and Transport Sub-Department, Deputy-Commissary (with local rank of Commissary on the West Coast of Africa) William Henry Ravenscroft to be Commissary. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Deputy-Commissary R. Walsh to be Commissary.

Dated 1st April, 1874.

Pay Sub-Department, Deputy-Paymaster Henry Potter to be Paymaster. Dated 1st April, 1874.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon-Major William Alexander Mackinnon, C.B., to be Deputy Surgeon-General. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Surgeon-Major John Andrew Woolfreyes, M.D., to be Deputy Surgeon-General. Dated 1st

April, 1874.

Surgeon George William McNalty to be Surgeon Major. Dated 1st April, 1874.

HALF-PAY.

Captain William F. Butler, half-pay, late 69th Foot, to be Major. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Lieutenant Ederic Frederick Lord Gifford, V.C. from the 24th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 1s April, 1874.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-General (serving with the local rank of General in the East Indies) Robert Cornelis Lord Napier of Magdala, G.C.B., G.C.S.I. Royal (late Bengal) Engineers, to be General Dated 1st April, 1874.

Major-General and Colonel-Commandant Siz William Erskine Baker, K.C.B., Royal (late Bengal) Engineers, to be Lieutenant-General vice R. C., Lord Napier of Magdala, G.C.B.

G.C.S.I. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Major-General, having rank as Colonel-Commandant, Henry Blois Turner, Royal (late Bombay) Engineers, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Major-General Edward William Durnford, Royal Engineers, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated

1st April, 1874.

Colonel John Cameron, C.B., Royal Engineers, from the Supernumerary List, to be Major-General, vice E. W. Durnford. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 1st April, 1874.

Colonel John Summerfield Hawkins, Royal Engineers, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back

pay prior to 1st April, 1874.

Colonel John Reid Becher, C.B., Royal (late Bengal) Engineers, to be Major-General, vice Sir W. E. Baker, K.C.B. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior

to 1st April, 1874.

Colonel Harry Wainwright Bax Bell, Royal (late Bombay) Engineers, to be Major-General, vice H. B. Turner. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 1st April, 1874.

Lieutenaut-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Alexander Taylor, C.B., Royal (late Bengal) Engineers, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 1st

April, 1874.

Colonel Robert Maclagan, Royal (late Bengal) Engineers, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back

pay prior to 1st April, 1874.

Brevet Colonel Sir Garnet Joseph Wolseley, K.C.M.G., C.B., who was granted the local rank of Major-General while employed on special service on the West Coast of Africa, from Major half-pay, late 90th Foot, to be Major-General, for distinguished service in the field. Dated 1st April, 1874.

To be Colonels.

Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Evelyn Wood, V.C., Major, 90th Foot. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Brevet Lieutenant - Colonel George Pomeroy Colley, Captain 2nd Foot. Dated 1st April, 1874.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Brevet Major Baker Creed Russell, Captain 13th Hussars, Dated 1st April, 1874.

Major Duncan Macpherson, 42nd Foot. Dated

1st April, 1874.

Major Francis Cunningham Scott, 42nd Foot. Dated 1st April, 1874. Major Adolphus H. Stephens, Rifle Brigade. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Major Sydney Crohan Millett, 23rd Foot. Dated

1st April, 1874.

Major Thomas Bernard Hackett, V.C., 23rd Foot Dated 1st April, 1874.

Major John P. Carr Glyn, Rifle Brigade. Dated

1st April, 1874.

Brevet Major Luke O'Connor, V.C., Captain 23rd Foot. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Brevet Major James De Vic Tupper, Captain 23rd Foot. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Major Robert Home, Royal Engineers. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Major Anthony Percy Bainbridge, Royal (late Madras) Artillery. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Brevet Major Christopher Rice H. Nicholl, Captain Rifle Brigade. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Brevet Major Frederick Edward Sotheby, Captain Rifle Brigade. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Major Thomas Durand Baker, 18th Foot. Dated 1st April, 1874.

The late Brevet Major William Baird, 42nd Foot, would have been granted Brevet promotion had he survived.

To be Majors.

Captain Francis E. H. Farquharson, V.C., 42nd Foot. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain George A. Furse, 42nd Foot. Dated 1st

April, 1874.

Captain Henry Brackenbury, Royal Artillery. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Alexander William Duncan, Royal Artillery. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Edward John Briscoe, half-pay, late 14th Foot. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain John Frederick Crease, Royal Marine Artillery. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain William Winkworth Allnutt, Royal Marine Light Infantry. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain William Edward Despard, Royal Marine Light Infantry. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Lionel Lowdham Brett, 2nd West India

Regiment. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain William Owen Lanyon, 2nd West India Regiment. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Robert Straker Turton, 2nd West India

Regiment. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain William Augustus Trydell Helden, 100th Foot. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain William Fowler, 2nd West India Regi-

ment. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Charles Walker Robinson, Rifle Brigade. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain John Cecil Russell, 12th Lancers.

Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Redvers Henry Buller, 60th Foot. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Arthur John Rait, Royal Artillery. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain William Liston Dalrymple, 88th Foot. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Algernon Arbuthnot Godwin, 103rd

Foot. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Charles James Bromhead, 24th Foot. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Robert William Thew Gordon, 93rd

Foot. Dated 1st April, 1864.

Captain Alexander Herman Adam Gordon, 84th Foot. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Joshua Morris Saunders, Royal Artillery.

Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain the Honourable Henry John Lindley Wood, 12th Lancers. Dated 1st April, 1874.

The late Captain R. N. Buckle, Royal Engineers, would have been granted Brevet promotion had he survived.

GENERAL ORDER No. 32.

HER Majesty has been graeiously pleased to command that Colonel Sir Garnet Joseph Wolseley, K.C.M.G., C.B., be promoted to the rank of Major-General in the Army, in recognition of his valuable services in command of the force employed against the Ashantis.

Also, that the undermentioned Medical Officers be promoted to the ranks specified, in consideration of their valuable services with the force in question; viz.:—

Surgeons-Major:

William Alexander Mackinnon, C.B., and John Andrew Woolfreyes, M.D., to be Deputy Surgeons-General.

Surgeon George William MeNalty to be Surgeon-Major.

By command,

(Signed) RICHARD AIREY, Adjutant-General.

MEMORANDUM.

Dated Horse Guards, War Office, 31st March, 1874.

HIS Royal Highness the Field-Marshal Commanding-in-Chief has been pleased to appoint Lieutenant-General the Honourable Sir James Lindsay, K.C.M.G., to be his Military Secretary, in succession to Major-General Caledon Richard Egerton, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 1st April, 1874.

(Signed) RICHARD AIREY, Adjutant-General.

War Office, 31st March, 1874.

MILITIA.

1st Royal Cheshire.

Frederick Pickop, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant Dated 1st April, 1874.

Cornwall Rangers.

Captain William Coryton resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Royal Cumberland.

Herbert Smith, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Ralph Bromfield Willington Fisher, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1874.

Dorset.

Captain John Tatchell Bullen resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1874.

2nd or North Durham.

Henry John Percival Mulcaster, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Durham Arvillery.

Stuart Hutchinson, Gent, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

West Essex.

Captain John William Huskisson, 56th Foot, to be Adjutant, vice Travers, placed on a retired allowance. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Adjutant John William Huskisson, to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 14th March, 1874.

Royal South Gloucester.

Herbert Falkner Wolseley, Gent., to be Sub-

Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1874.

Hampshire.

- Arthur Henry Clarke-Jervoise, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1874.
- George Ewbank Briggs, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1874.

Hants, Isle of Wight Artillery.

John St. Vincent Crowder, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary.) Dated 1st April, 1874.

Hertford.

Captain William Klingender, 16th Foot, to be Adjutant, vice Hale, placed on a retired allowance. Dated 19th March, 1874.

Adjutant William Klingender to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 19th March, 1874.

Huntingdon.

Cecil Stratford Paget, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary.) Dated 1st April, 1874.

2nd Royal Laucashire.

Francis Blundell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

4th Royal Lancashire.

Lieutenant Dugald Scott to be Captain, vice Crawford resigned. Dated 1st April, 1874.

7th Royal Lancashire.

Dudley Richard Apthorp, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

2nd Middlesex, or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment.

Edward William Fane Martin, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1874.

Royal Monmouth.

Sub-Lieutenant Francis James David Reid resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1874.

George Ferdinand Walker, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1874.

2nd or East Norfolk.

Captain and Honorary Major Charles Paploe Smith Ensor resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Sir Charles Harvey, Bart., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1874.

Henry Dolphin, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1874.

Oxford.

Ernest Hippisley Taunton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

2nd Somerset.

Sub-Lieutenant George Vere Boyle resigns his Commission. Dated 18th March, 1874.

The (King's Own) 1st Stafford.

Lieutenant Michael Hickman Grazebrook to be Captain, vice Willett, promoted. Dated 1st April, 1874.

The (King's Own) 2nd Stafford.

Major Morton Edward Buller is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 1st April, 1874.

West Suffolk.

The Honourable Arthur Henry Henniker-Major to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Worcester.

Cecil Henry Cook, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1874.

1st West York.

Captain and Honorary Major William Walker to

be Major. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Thomas Atchin Andrus resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 1st April, 1874.

The services of Captain Mathew Fanning are dispensed with. Dated 1st April, 1874.

2nd West York.

Captain Richard Chaplin to be Major. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Lieutenant Henry Trafford resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1874.

5th West York.

Major John Whitacre Allen resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Lawrance Williams to be Major, vice Allen, who resigns. Dated 1st April, 1874.

1st Royal Lanark.

Lieutenant Alexander Sprot resigns his Commission. Dated 28th February, 1874.

Charles Percy Dean, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Antrim Artillery.

Walton Thomas Roberts Atkin, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Carlow.

Richard Wolfe, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1874.

Cuvan.

Captain James Kerr is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Clare.

Lieutenant William Hoare Hume Crowe resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1874.

North Cork.

Lieutenant William Popham Wrixon to be Captain, vice Braddell, deceased. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Henry Sherwood Smith, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

South Cork.

For, Charles Mark Allanson Winn, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary), dated 14th March, 1874, as notified in Gazette of 13th March, 1874,

Read, The Honourable Charles Mark Allanson Winn to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary).

Dated 14th March, 1874.

Donegal.

Captain William Richard Tredennick, 27th Foot, to be Adjutant, vice Stepney, resigned. Dated 17th March, 1874.

Adjutant William Richard Tredennick to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 17th March,

1874.

Royal South Down.

Captain Andrew Vesey Davoren to be Major. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Dublin County.

Lieutenant William Robert Cusack-Smith resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Lieutenant Robert Alexander Hume Barry to be Captain. Dated 1st April, 1874.

King's County.

Lieutenant the Earl of Charleville resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Limerick County.

Captain John M'Knight Hartigan resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1874,

Vere David Urquhart Hunt, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1874.

Royal Meath.

William Ernest Albert Barry, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1874.

Monaghan.

Thomas Ferdinand Richardson, Gent., to be "ub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Royal Tyrone Fusiliers.

Captain and Honorary Major Charles King Colhoun resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Lieutenant Francis Forbes Ellis resigns his Com-

mission. Dated 1st April, 1874.

George Greer, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1874.

Wexford.

Lieutenant Francis Robert Leigh resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Wicklow.

Lieutenant George Philip Mahony resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1874.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Ayrshire.

For Major C. V. H. Campbell to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Craufurd resigned, dated 17th May, 1873, as notified in the Gazette of the 16th May, 1873.

Rend, Major C. V. Hamilton Campbell to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Craufurd, resigned.

Dated 17th May, 1873.

Berks.

Lord Otho Augustus Fitzgerald, late Lieutenant Royal Horse Guards, to be Captain (Supernumerary.) Dated 1st April, 1874.

Buckinghamshire.

Lieutenant Matthew S. Grenville Knapp resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Essex.

Lieutenant Joseph Frederick Jessopp to be Captain, vice Cater, promoted. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Herts.

Captain Henry J. Toulmin resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Lieutenant Alexander Thomas Binney resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Lieutenant Frederick Ernest Villiers to be Captain, vice Toulmin, who resigns. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Royal East Kent.

Captain Thomas Lambert resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 1st April, 1874.

James Edward William Theobald, Marquis of Ormonde, late Captain 1st Life Guards, to be Captain (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April,

1874.

Lancashire Hussars.

Major William Ince Anderton resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Leicester.

Edward Handley Warner, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1874.

Montgomeryshire.

Henry Lloyd, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Oxfordshire.

John Weyland, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Warwickshire.

Lieutenant George William Brewis resigns his Commission. Dated 1st April, 1874.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 3, 1874.

Colonial Office, Downing Street, March 31, 1874.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following appointment to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George:

To be an Ordinary Member of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the said Order:—
Major-General Sir Garnet Joseph Wolseley, K.C.B., K.C.M.G., for distinguished services in command of the Expedition against the Ashantees.

Whitehall, April 1, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint David Mure, Esq., one of the Lords of Session, to be one of the Lords of Justiciary, in the room of the Honourable Charles Baillie, resigned.

(S. & C. 693.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, April 1, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Guatemala. reporting that by a Decree, dated the 7th February last, the President of the Republic of Guatemala 1874.

has declared that in future the import duties on liquors and wines, &c., shall be levied as follows:—

				Duty		
Brandy-				per	Bottle	
in case of 12	bottles	•••	•••	50	cents	
in cask	•••	• • •	•••	40	,,	
Red light Wine-						
in case of 12	bottles	• • •	• • •	30	99	
in cask	•••	•••	•••	25	99	
Strong Wine-						
in case of 12	bottles	•••	• • •	40	22	
in cask	•••	•••	• • •	30	22	
Sparkling Wines, Vermuth, Absinthe-						
contained in	any vess	sel or b	ottle	75	"	
Liquors in genera	1—					
contained in	any ves	sel or b	ottle	75	99	
Beer	•••	•••	•••	25	22	

This Decree was to come into operation after one month in regard to importations from Panama, Belize, or California; in seventy-five days for importations from Europe by steamer, and in one hundred days for importations from Europe in sailing vessels by way of Cape Horn.

Admiralty, 31st March, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Charles Thomas Farquhar Hodgkinson has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Admiralty, 2nd April, 1874.

The name of Mr. George Frederick Mylius Kent, Assistant-Paymaster, R.N., was inserted in error among the names of Officers promoted for service in the Ashantee Campaign, and the notification of his promotion is hereby cancelled.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant James Alan Ward has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Paymaster William Lovely has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury having certified to the Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt, in pursuance of the Act 29 and 30 Vic., c. 39, sec. 16, that the actual surplus revenue of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, beyond the actual expenditure thereof for the year ended the 31st day of December, 1873, amounted to the sum of one million four hundred and ninety-six thousand four hundred and ninety pounds thirteen shillings and nine pence.

The Commissioners for the Reduction of the National Debt hereby give notice, that the sum of three hundred and seventy-four thousand one hundred and twenty-two pounds thirteen shillings and five pence, being one-fourth part of the said surplus of one million four hundred and ninety-six thousand four hundred and ninety pounds thirteen shillings and nine pence, will be applied under the provisions of the said Act, in the quarter ending the 30th day of June, 1874, towards the reduction of the National Debt.

C. Rivers Wilson, Comptroller-General.

National Debt Office, April 1, 1874.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 7, 1874.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, April 2, 1874.

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Friday, the 1st of May next, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to His Royal Highness at this Levee shall be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her

Majesty.

N.B. The Knights of the several Orders are to appear in their Collars at the Drawing Room on the 25th of March, it being a Collar-Day.

REGULATIONS

TO BE OBSERVED AT THE QUEEN'S LEVEE TO BE HELD BY HIS ROYAL HIGHNESS THE PRINCE OF WALES, ON BEHALF OF HER MAJESTY, AT St. James's Palace.

By Her Majesty's Command.

The Noblemen and Gentlemen, who propose to attend Her Majesty's Levee, at St. James's Palace, are requested to bring with them two large cards, with their names clearly written thereon, one to be left with The Queen's Page in Attendance, and the other to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, who will announce the name to His Royal Highness.

PRESENTATIONS.

Any Nobleman or Gentleman who proposes to be presented, must leave at the Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, before twelve o'clock, two clear days before the Levee, a card with his name written thereon, and with the name of the Nobleman or Gentleman by whom he is to he presented. In order to carry out the existing regulation that no presentation can be made at a Levee excepting by a person actually attending that Levee, it is also necessary that an intimation from the Nobleman or Gentleman who is to make the presentation, of his intention to be present, should accompany the presentation card above referred to, which will be submitted to The Queen for Her Majesty's approbation. It is Her Majesty's command that no presentations shall be made at the Levee; except in accordance with the above regulations.

It is particularly requested, that in every case the names be very distinctly written upon the cards to be delivered to the Lord Chamberlain, in order that there may be no difficulty in announcing

them to His Royal Highness.

The State Apartments will be open for the reception of Company coming to Court at one o'clock.

HERTFORD, Lord Chamberlain.

Admiralty, 4th April, 1874.

Mr. John Ferguson,

Mr. James Garton Barrow, and

Mr. John William Nott,

have this day been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 31st March, 1874.

Admiralty, 6th April, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Staff Commander Hugh Dymond Beach has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

War Office, Pall Mall, 7th April, 1874.

- 1st Regiment of Life Guards, Lieutenant Edward Mashiter Dansey to be Captain, vice C. Thorold, retired. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- Royal Horse Guards, Lieutenant John Graham Carrick Moore retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- 5th Dragoon Guards, Captain Francis Gist retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- 4th Hussars, Lieutenant George Graham Dawes receives the value of a Cornetcy on final transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- 7th Hussars, Sub-Lieutenant Henry Matthew Ridley to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th March, 1874.
- 17th Lancers, Paymaster and Honorary Captain John J. Westenra Smith retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- Grenadier Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Villiers Hatton to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant and Captain Henry Wellesley who resigns that appointment. Dated 23rd February, 1874.

- Scots Fusilier Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Lord Charles John Innes-Ker to be Captain and Lieutenant - Colonel, vice Gerard Smith retired. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- Lieutenant Gilbert Gordon Blane to be Lieutenant and Captain, vice Lord C. J. Innes-Ker. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 2nd Foot, Captain Cheslyn Abney Blyth retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- 9th Foot, The Sub-Lieutenant promoted to a Lieutenancy in the Gazette of 17th March, 1874, should have been described as The Honourable Richard Luttrell Pilkington Bethell.
- 15th Foot, Lieutenant Peter Low, from the 99th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice H. B. Le Mottée, promoted. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- 17th Foot, The appointment of Martin Hunter, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, dated 18th March, 1874, to be cancelled, he having died on the 20th March, 1874. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- 21st Foot, Captain Alfred Thrale Perkins retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- 22nd Foot, Lieutenant George Arnold Christian to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant R. C. Hare, who resigns that appointment. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- 25th Foot, Lieutenant Arthur Harry Turner to be Captain, vice W. H. Henzell, retired. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 28th Foot, Lieutenant Edward Julian Bigg Wither to be Captain, vice Elliott Christie C. Farnall, deceased. Dated 9th March, 1874.
- 34th Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel

- John Gwilt, C.B., retires upon half-pay. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- 38th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Walter Chillian Yerbury to be superseded for absence without leave. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- Sub-Lieutenant William Henry Morris Bent, from the 57th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant J. Alexander, promoted. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- 44th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant John George Morris, from the 90th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant C. H. Walsh, promoted. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- 46th Foot, Lieutenant John Maxwell Low to be Captain, vice R. E. Brookes, retired. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 47th Foot, Lieutenant Eyare King to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant W. H. Larken, promoted. Dated 1st April, 1874.
- 50th Foot, Lieutenant Walter Delamain Tripe retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigncy. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- 51st Foot, Lieutenant George Henry Denshire, to be Captain, vice R. N. Franks, retired. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 56th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Henry Lawrence Daly, from the 49th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant E. E. Kenny, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- 62nd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant George Blakiston Renny to be Lieutenant, dated 19th June, 1872, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to bear date 27th March, 1872.
- 65th Foot, Lieutenant George Bryan Douglas Thornhill retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigncy. Dated 8th April, 1874.

- 67th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant William Egginton Briggs to be Lieutenant, dated 21st September, 1872, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to bear date 27th March, 1872.
- 73rd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Frederick Stapleton Gwatkin to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th March, 1872.
- 75th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Edward Oakeley Trower to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th March, 1873.
- 85th Foot, Lieutenant Duncan Alexander Allan Macpherson reverts to his Regiment, being no longer a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- 86th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Charles Haggard, to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th March, 1872.
- 99th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Peter Low to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th March, 1873.
- 106th Foot, Lieutenant George Lewis Leeds, from half-pay, late 37th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice J. W. F. Biggs, transferred to the 109th Foot. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- Rifle Brigade, Lieutenant Harry James Fergusson, from the 74th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice the Honourable T. C. Scott, promoted. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- 1st West India Regiment, Captain David Gardiner retires upon full-pay. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- Royal Malta Fencible Artillery, The rank of Quartermaster conferred upon Quartermaster-Serjeant Michele Debono in the Gazette of the 23rd January, 1874, should have been stated to be local and temporary. Dated 8th April, 1874.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon-Major Robert Beresford Smyth, M.B., retires upon half-pay. Dated 6th March, 1874. Surgeon Samuel Wesley Handy is placed upon temporary half-pay. Dated 16th March, 1874.

Army Hospital Corps, The Commission of Lieutenant of Orderlies Charles Cook, Army Hospital Corps, to be antedated to 25th June, 1873, and he is to take position in that Corps above Lieutenant W. H. Brown. This antedate will not carry back pay.

HALF-PAY.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Pigott, from half-pay, 20th Foot, Staff Officer of Pensioners, to be Major. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Lieutenant Charles St. Clair Pote, from the 75th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 8th April, 1874.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel F. L. Alexander, retired Royal Marine Artillery, to have the honorary rank of Major-General. Dated 8th April, 1874.

Captain David Gardiner, 1st West India Regiment, to have the honorary rank of Major on retiring upon full-pay. Dated 8th April, 1874.

Captain Sir Rose L. Price, Bart., retired Royal Marine Light Infantry, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 8th April, 1874.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on 20th March, 1874, of General George Thomas Colomb, Colonel of the 97th Foot:—

Lieutenant - General Francis N., Marquis Conyngham, K.P., Major half-pay, Unattached,

to have the rank of General. Dated 21st

March, 1874.

Lieutenant - General Maurice Barlow, C.B., Colonel of the 14th Foot, to be General. Dated 21st March, 1874.

Major General James Scargill, Major half-pay, Unattached, to have the rank of Lieutenant-

General. Dated 21st March, 1874.

Major-General Sir Richard Wilbraham, K.C.B., to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 21st March, 1874.

Brevet Colonel F. Charles Arthur Stephenson, C.B., from Lieutenant - Colonel, Scots Fusilier Guards, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 21st March, 1874.

Major Stewart Alexander Cleeve, half-pay, late 13th Foot, to be Lieutenaut-Colonel. Dated

21st March, 1874.

Captain F. Herbert Ruel, Royal Marines, to be Major. Dated 21st March, 1874.

The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service to be Colonels:—

Lieutenant-Colonel George F. Campbell Bray, 96th Foot. Dated 13th March, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Tito Brice, 17th Foot. Dated 9th April, 1874.

The undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces to have a step of honorary rank on retirement:—

To be Major-General.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel James Edward Westropp, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 8th April, 1874.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Devereux Henry Hickman, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 8th April, 1874.

To be Surgeons-General.

Deputy Surgeon-General Charles Lindsay Cox, Bengal Army. Dated 8th April, 1874.

Deputy Surgeon-General Thomas Hastings, Bengal

Army. Dated April 8th, 1874.

Deputy Surgeon-General Charles Archer, M.D.,

Bengal Army. Dated 8th April, 1874.

Deputy Surgeon-General George Ranken Playfair, M.D., Bengal Army. Dated 8th April, 1874.

To be Deputy Surgeons-General.

Surgeon-Major Andrew Fleming, M.D., Bengal Army. Dated 8th April, 1874.

Surgeon-Major Frederick Morrison Clifford, Bengal Army. Dated 8th April, 1874.

The undermentioned Warrant Officers on the Bengal Establishment to have honorary rank as follows:—

To be Captains.

Lieutenant and Deputy-Commissary Michael McHatton. Dated 8th April, 1874.

Lieutenant and Deputy-Commissary Donald McLeod. Dated 8th April, 1874.

To be Lieutenants.

Ensign and Assistant-Commissary Henry Telfer. Dated 8th April, 1874.

Ensign and Assistant-Commissary William Blow Collins. Dated 8th April, 1874.

To be Ensigns.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary John Baker. Dated 8th April, 1874. Deputy Assistant-Commissary James Miller, V.C., Dated 8th April, 1874.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary Simon Vandrass.

Dated 8th April, 1874.

Deputy Assistant - Commissary Gerald F. Frederick Cox. Dated 8th April. 1874.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary Francis Tague

Reilly. Dated 8th April, 1874.

Deputy Assistant-Commissary John Cannell.

Dated 8th April, 1874.

Deputy Assistant - Commissary J. O'Grady. Dated 8th April, 1874.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 10, 1874.

Foreign Cffice, April 9, 1874.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. A. Spitteler as Consul of the German Empire for the West Coast of India, from Cape Comoria to the extreme point of the Madras Presidency, including the Native States, to reside at Cochin.

(H. 2311.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, April 7, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister in Chili, dated February 15th, stating that in consequence of intelligence received respecting the cholera at Buenos Ayres, the Chilian Government have abandoned all idea of establishing quarantine against arrivals from that port. According to private accounts the epidemic had never been of a very virulent nature.

(H. 2312.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, April 7, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for the Colonies a copy of a Despatch from the Governor of the Falkland Islands, dated February 7th, stating that owing to cholera having broken out at Buenos Ayres to the extent of between twenty to thirty fatal cases a day, the Health Officer at Stanley has been instructed to be very guarded in giving pratique to vessels arriving from the former port.

(H. 2353.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department). Whitehall Gardens, April 8, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Athens, stating that arrivals in Greek ports from Genoa, Varazza, Monoglia, Lepanto, Sestri, and Spezzia, are admissible to free pratique.

(H. 2354.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, April 8, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Acting Consul at Réunion, stating that a quarantine of fifteen days has been imposed upon arrivals from the Seychelles Islands in consequence of an outbreak of measles at the latter place.

(S. & C. 732.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, April 9, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Decree of the French Government, dated the 31st ultimo, suspending until the 1st August next, the levying on cereals of the tax of 5 per cent. on the charge for transport to which goods conveyed by luggage train are liable.

Admiralty, 4th April, 1874.

The following Sub-Lieutenants have been this day promoted to the rank of Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

Sub-Lieutenants:

Frank William Wyley.
Adolphus Frederick Turner.
Harry Percy Dawson.
Charles Glover William Aylen.
Cecil Holland Whish.
Keppel Henry Foote.
James Nethery Hill.
George Fouke Maynard.
Walter Hodgson Bevan Graham.
Henry Theophilus Smith-Dorrien.
Edward Philip Tomkinson.
James Richard Broadley.
Henry McArthur Cutfield.
Reginald William Scott Rogers.

Admiralty, 7th April, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officers have been placed on the Retired List of their rank; viz.:—Staff Surgeon Nicholas Littleton, from this date. Surgeon Richard Beamish, from the 26th ultimo.

Admiralty, 8th April, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Commander James Dudley Ryder Hewitt has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 9th August, 1872—

Navigating Sub-Lieutenant Joseph Henry Duckham has been placed on the Retired List from the 2nd instant.

War Office, Pall Mall, 10th April, 1874.

51st Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General John Leslie Dennis, C.B., to be Colonel, in succession to General Sir William Henry Elliott, G.C.B., deceased. Dated 28th March, 1874.

97th Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General John Maxwell Perceval, C.B., to be Colonel, in succession to General George Thomas Colomb, deceased. Dated 21st March, 1874.

Staff, Major-General Sir Garnet Joseph Wolseley, K.C.B., G.C.M.G., to be Inspector-General of Auxiliary Forces, in succession to Lieutenant-General the Honourable Sir James Lindsay, K.C.M.G., appointed Military Secretary to His Royal Highness the Field-Marshal Commanding-in-Chief. Dated 1st April, 1874.

India Office, 9th April, 1874.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following Admissions to the Staff Corps, made by the Governments in India:—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Cyril Hugh Selby Gambier, 58th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant George Graham Dawes, 4th Hussars.

Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Arthur Frederick Barrow, 105th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Treasury Chambers, April, 9, 1874.

THE Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby gives notice, that the following situations are added to Schedule B of the Order in Council, dated 4th June, 1870, viz.:—

Housemaid and Charwoman in the Foreign Office.

Treasury Chambers, April 9, 1874.

THE Commissioners of National Education in Ireland, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice, that the following situation or employment is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870, viz.:—

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FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 14, 1874.

Whitehall, April 7, 1874.

THE Queen has been pleased to grant unto Rowland Clegg Hill, of Hawkestone, in the county of Salop, Esquire (commonly called the Honourable Rowland Clegg Hill), eldest son and heir apparent of Rowland, Viscount Hill, by Ann, Viscountess Hill, his wife, only child and heir of Joseph Clegg, late of Peplow Hall, in the said county of Salop, and granddaughter of Arthur Clegg, late of Irwell Bank, near Manchester, in the county palatine of Lancaster, Esquires, both deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may take and henceforth use the surname of Clogg in addition to and before that of Hill, and that he and they may bear and use the arms of Clegg quarterly with those of Hill. such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said

College of Arms.

Whitehall, April 8, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Samuel William Pearse Chalker, an Undergraduate of Emmanuel College, in the University of Cambridge, son of John Ball Chalker, late of Laira Green, in the county of Devon, Clerk, deceased,

and of Elizabeth his wife, daughter of Samuel Winter Pearse, late of Cadleigh, in the said county of Devon, Clerk, deceased, Her Royal license and authority that he and his issue may in compliance with a clause contained in the last will and testament of his maternal grandfather the said Samuel Winter Pearse, take and henceforth use the surname of Pearse, in addition to and after that of Chalker:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms, otherwise to be void and of none effect.

War Office, Pall Mall, 14th April, 1874.

Royal Regiment of Horse Guards, Sir John Pepys Lister-Kaye, Bart., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant J. G. C. Moore, retired. Dated 15th April, 1874.

7th Hussars, Captain His Royal Highness Prince Arthur William Patrick Albert, K.G., K.T., K.P., G.C.M.G., from the Rifle Brigade, to be Captain. Dated 14th April, 1874.

10th Hussars, Lieutenant Manners Charles Wood, from the 66th Foot, to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Coldstream Guards, Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Norman Burnand retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1874.

,2nd Foot, Lieutenant Andrew Charles Armstrong retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1874.

4th Foot, Captain Charles Edward Billing retires 2 L 2

- from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1874.
- 9th Foot, Lieutenant John Lovell to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant E. P. Elmhirst, who resigns that appointment. Dated 1st March, 1874.
- 11th Foot, William Henry Bishop, India Cadet, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant G. C. K. Baldwin, retired. Dated 15th April, 1874.

14th Foot, Major James Leyne retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Lieutenant William Thomas Durham, from halfpay, late 76th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice W. T. Blois, promoted Captain on half-pay. Dated 15th April, 1874.

18th Foot, Henry Wentworth Hughes, India Cadet, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant W. H. Herbert, promoted. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Adam Park, India Cadet, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant J. H. C. Carey, transferred to the 60th Foot. Dated 15th April, 1874.

- 29th Foot, Lieutenant John William Jameson retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1874.
- 44th Foot, Archibald Ross Murray, India Cadet, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant W. P. Kennedy, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 15th April, 1874.
- 45th Foot, George Egbert Walter, India Cadet, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice C. E. W. Macdonald, transferred to the 51st Foot. Dated 15th April, 1874.

- Lieutenant Henry Lambard to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant J. O. Gage, promoted. Dated 15th April, 1874.
- 56th Foot, Claude Edward Harrison, India Cadet, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant A. F. Cotton, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 15th April, 1874.
- 57th Foot, Captain Wyndham A. R. Thompson retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1874.
- 63rd Foot, Lieutenant Constantine Joseph Ryan to be Captain, vice C. E. McMurdo, retired. Dated 6th December, 1873.
- 69th Foot. Lieutenant Timothy Joseph Kelly retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1874.
- 76th Foot, Captain Henry Filkes Hooper retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1874.
 - 80th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant William Moore, from the 75th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant W. Howard, promoted. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Edward Claude Rothney, India Cadet, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice L. H. Master, resigned.

Dated 15th April, 1874.

- Edward Charles Lethbridge Walter, India Cadet, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice C. D. F. Hamilton, transferred to the 85th Foot. Dated 15th April, 1874.
- 90th Foot, Henry Musgrave Campbell, Queen's Cadet, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant Arthur Hardolph Eyre, killed in action. Dated 15th April, 1874.

- 94th Foot, Lieutenant Hamilton William W. Spooner, from half-pay, late 11th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice E. T. C. N. Marten, transferred to the 43rd Foot. Dated 15th April, 1874.
- Rifle Brigade, Sub-Lieutenant Charles Davis Sherston to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th March, 1872.
- 1st West India Regiment, William Hore Knight, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant Henry Taylor Clough, deceased. Dated 15th April, 1874.
- Medical Department, Surgeon James Shand Duncan, M.D., to be Surgeon-Major, vice Robert Beresford Smyth, M.B., retired upon half-pay. Dated 15th April, 1874.
- Staff, Major and Brevet Colonel George Richards Greaves, C.B., half-pay, late 70th Foot, from Deputy Assistant-Adjutant-General, to be Assistant-Adjutant-General at Head Quarters, vice Major-General Sir Garnet Joseph Wolseley, G.C.M.G., K.C.B., appointed Inspector-General of Auxiliary Forces. Dated 1st April, 1874.

BREVET.

Captain W. Wellington Waterloo Humbley, halfpay, Unattached, to be Major. Dated 14th March, 1862.

Captain and Brevet Major W. W. W. Humbley, half-pay, Unattached, to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Dated 24th October, 1872.

Paymaster and Honorary Captain Charles Skrine, 78th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 1st April, 1874.

The following promotions to take place, consequent on the death, on 27th March, 1874, of

General Sir William Henry Elliott, G.C.B., Colonel of the 51st Foot:—

Lieutenant-General Sir John Michael, G.C.B., Colonel of the 86th Foot, to be General. Dated 28th March, 1874.

Major-General Henry Palmer, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 28th March,

1874.

Brevet Colonel Edmund Augustus Whitmore, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, balf-pay, Unattached, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to the 28th March, 1874.

Major William Mosse, half-pay, late 26th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 28th March,

1874.

Captain Henry Grattan, 35th Foot, to be Major. Dated 28th March, 1874.

MEMORANDUM.

The undermentioned Officers retire from the Service receiving the value of their Commissions:—

Major-General William Macpherson, Major, halfpay, late Staff Officer of Pensioners. Dated 27th March, 1874.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel W. Wellington Waterloo Humbley, half-pay, Unattached. Dated 27th March, 1874.

Captain John Nethercote, half-pay, late 19th

Hussars. Dated 27th March, 1874.

War Office, 14th April, 1874.

MILITIA.

Royal Brecon.

Captain Thomas Gwynne Vaughan resigns his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Royal Carnarvon.

Henry Lennox Peel, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Charles John Bolland, Gent., to be Sub-Lieu-

tenant. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Captain and Adjutant Edward Denne Nares resigns his Commission, and is placed on a retired allowance, also is granted the honorary rank of Major, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Cornwall Rangers.

Captain William Cole Pendarves resigns his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Royal Glamorgan.

Captain and Honorary Major Lawrence Heyworth to be Major. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Royal North Gloucester.

Lieutenant Alban Henry Thomas Wadmore resigns his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1874.

4th Royal Lancashire.

Captain and Honorary Major Frederick Phillips resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Royal North Lincoln.

Maurice Wright, Gent, to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th April, 1874.

2nd Middlesex, or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment.

John Hughes, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th April, 1874.

Royal Monmouth.

Major Francis McDonnell is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant - Colonel. Dated 15th April, 1874.

1st, or West Norfolk.

Henry Le Strange Herring, late Captain, 87th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Lieutenant John Campbell to be Captain. Dated

15th April, 1874.

Lieutenant William Charles Edwardes Leathes to

be Captain. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Alfred Edward Spring, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Norfolk Artillery.

Captain and Adjutant John Gilbertson, resigns his Commission, and is placed on a retired allowance, also is granted the honorary rank of Major, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain and Adjutant Maitland Moore Lane, from the Northumberland Artillery Militia, to be Adjutant, vice Gilbertson placed on a retired allowance. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Northumberland Artillery.

Gordon Alexander Ouchterlony, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary.) Dated 15th

April, 1874.

Captain Harold John Kinsman, Royal (late Bengal) Artillery, to be Adjutant, vice Lane, transferred to the Norfolk Artillery Militia. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Adjutant Harold John Kinsman to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 1st April, 1874.

3rd (Kings Own), Stafford.

Charles Francis Adderley Noel, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th April, 1874.

3rd Royal Surrey.

Captain Norcliffe Gilpin resigns his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1874.

1st Royal Tower Hamlets.

Lieutenant Ashton William Rendle, from the 1st Royal Surrey Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1874.

1st Warwick.

Major Richard Roberts Jee resigns his Commission, also is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Major Oswald Augustus Grimston to be Lieutenaat-Colonel, vice Wise, resigned. Dated

15th April, 1874.

Royal Wiltshire.

Lieutenant the Honourable Marcus Wilson George Sandys to be Captain. Dated 15th April, 1874.

North York.

William Folliott Powell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Highland Borderers Light Infantry.

John Abercromby, late Lieutenant Rifle Brigade, to be Captain. Dated 15th April, 1874.

2nd Royal Lanark.

The appointment of Edward Willis Duncan Ward, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, dated 11th February, 1874, notified in the Gazette of 10th February, 1874, to bear date 9th December, 1873.

Royal Perth.

Edward Fraser Sandeman, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th April, 1874.

Scottish Borderers.

Captain Steuart Gladstone resigns his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Lieutenant Robert William Ewart to be Captain, vice Gladstone, who resigns. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Antrim Artillery.

James Lepper Alison, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th April, 1874.

Clare.

Captain and Honorary Major George Steele Studdert resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 15th April, 1874.

North Cork.

Richard Fitzherbert Smith, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Donegal Artillery.

John Edward Maxwell Pilkington, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Dublin County.

Guy Lenox Lambert, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th April, 1874.

Royal Dublin City.

Michael Charles Christopher Burke, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1874. Francis Butler, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Queen's County.

Captain John Aldridge, half-pay, late 20th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 28th March, 1874.

Waterford Artillery.

William Henry Dennehy, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1874.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Ayrshire.

The name of Major C. V. Hamilton Campbell, as gazetted on 31st March, 1874, should be C. V. Hamilton-Campbell.

West Essex.

Her Majesty has been graciously pleased to approve of the West Essex Yeomanry Cavalry being for the future styled "The Essex Regiment of Yeomanry Cavalry." Dated 31st March, 1874.

Herts.

The Honourable John Hamilton Lawrence to be Sub-Lieut-nant. Dated 15th April, 1874.

William Humble Dudley Ward, late Lieutenant 14th Hussars, to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th April, 1874.

James Carnegie, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th April, 1874.

Oxfordshire.

Captain and Adjutant Frederick Loftus Dashwood resigns his Commission and is placed on on a retired allowance, also is granted the honorary rank of Major, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 15th April, 1874.

2nd West York.

Edward Hildred Carlile, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th April, 1874.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cambridge.

The Right Honourable Earl De la Warr and Baron Buckhurst to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 2nd April, 1874.

Treasury Chambers, April 11, 1874.

THE Lords of the Committee of the Privy Council on Education, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice, that the following employments in connexion with the Department of Science and Art are withdrawn from Schedule A and are added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870, viz.:—

The employments of—
Brass Finishers.
Bricklayers.
Cabinet Makers.
Carpenters and Joiners.
Carvers and Gilders.
Chasers and Metal Workers.

Draughtsmen, Chief, and others.

Electrotypers.

Engineers, Royal.

Fitters.

Gas Foremen, Attendants, and Fitters.

Labellers.

Labourers, Male and Female, including all Cleaners and Stokers.

Locksmiths and other Smiths.

Masons.

Modellers and Model Painters.

Moulders and Casters.

Mounters.

Packers.

Painters and Glaziers, Foreman and others.

Plasterers.

Polishers.

Printers.

Repairers of Art Objects, &c.

Seamstresses.

Turners.

Works, Foremen of.

DANISH THREE PER CENT. LOAN, 1825.

NOTICE is hereby given, that several errors having crept into the List of Numbers of Bonds drawn for payment on the 30th of September next, amounting to £87,200 which appeared in the London Gazette of the 27th ultimo, that List is withdrawn, and the present one substituted in its place.

Danish Three Per Cent. Loan, 1825.

NOTICE is hereby given, that in conformity with the terms of, and pursuant to the right reserved in the contract of the above Loan, the undermentioned Bonds amounting to £87,200

destined for the Sinking Fund of the 30th day of September next, were, this day, in accordance with the instructions of the Royal Danish Ministry of Finance in Copenhagen, drawn for redemption at the counting-house of Messrs. N. M. Rothschild and Sons, in presence of His Excellency Lieutenant-General J. von Bulow, Minister Plenipotentiary of His Majesty the King of Denmark at the Court of St. James, of Leopold de Rothchild, Esq., partner in the firm of Messrs. N. M. Rothschild and Sons, and of the undersigned Notary Public, and will be paid off at par, at the counting-house of the said Messrs. N. M. Rothschild and Sons, on the said 30th day of September next, with the interest due thereon up to that date.

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FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 17, 1874.

Foreign Office, April 16, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. James M. True as Consul at Kingston, Canada, for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. H. M. Flügge as Consul at Bombay for His

Majesty the King of the Belgians.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Angelo Gianelli as Consul at Montreal, with jurisdiction over the Provinces of Manitoba, Ontario, and Quebec, with the exception of the districts of Gaspé and Buonaventura, for His Majesty the King of Italy.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Orazio Le Boutillier as Consul at Gaspé Basin, with jurisdiction over the districts of Gaspé and Buonaventura, the Provinces of New Brunswick and Nova Scotia, Prince Edward's Island, and the Island of Terranova, for His Majesty the

King of Italy.

Whitehall, April 15, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to nominate the Reverend John Minet Freshfield, M.A., to the Perpetual Curacy of Saint Paul's Chapel, in the parish of Saint Marylebone, in the county of Middlesex, and diocese of London, void by the resignation of the Reverend Frederick Tufnell.

Crown Office, April 13, 1874.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Louth.

George Harley Kirk, Esq., in the room of Philip Callan, Esq., who having been returned a Member for the County of Louth and also for the Borough of Dundalk, hath elected to sit for the Borough of Dundalk.

(S. & C. 806.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, April 15, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Memorandum addressed by the Turkish Government to Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affairs at Constantinople on the 30th March last, stating that in view of the interruption by snow of the communications between Beyrout and Damascus, and the scarcity of provisions in towns on the Syrian coast, the exportation of cereals from those towns has been prohibited until further notice.

(S. & C. 807.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, April 15, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs copies of Notes addressed by the Turkish Government to Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affairs at Constantinople, intimating the prohibition of the transit of gunpowder through the Empire, and of the importation of fusees, containing gunpowder, employed in mining operations.

(H. 2507.)

Bourd of Trade, (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, April 16, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Rosario, stating that the quarantine restrictions at that place on persons and vessels from Buenos Ayres had been removed since 14th February last

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Admiralty, 16th April, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Robert William Gore has been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 4th instant.

War Office, 17th April, 1874. MILITIA.

Bedford.

Sir John Montagu Burgoyne, Bart., late Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel Grenadier Guards, to be Major, vice Judd, resigned. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Royal Bucks.

Captain Edward Arthur Illingworth, half-pay, late 85th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Lieutenant Alexander Spencer Henry Mackay resigns his Commission. Dated 18th April,

1874.

Lieutenant Henry Edward Stevens resigns his Commission. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Lieutenant Ronald Cariston Seton resigns his Commission. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Cornwall Rangers.

Lieutenant George Badeley Marke resigns his Commission. Dated 18th April, 1874.

1st Devon.

Lieutenant James William Edward Cusack resigns his Commission. Dated 18th April, 1874. Lieutenant Frederick Elliott Read resigns his

Commission. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Dorset.

Major Ramsay Harman, late 14th Foot, to be Major. Dated 4th April, 1874.

The Essex Rifles.

Harry Fortescue, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Royal North Gloucester.

Captain William Samuel Mair Goodenough resigns his Commission. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Lieutenant Richard Hungerford Pollen to be Captain, vice Goodenough, who resigns. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Charles Edward Coxwell Rogers, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 18th April, 1874.

West Kent.

Captain Edmund Huntly Hooper resigns his Commission. Dated 18th April, 1874.

4th Royal Lancashire.

Lieutenant William Cuthberton Higgins to be Captain, vice Phillips, resigned. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Royal South Lincoln.

Henry Richmond William Lumsden, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Royal Merioneth.

Major Commandant Charles John Tottenham resigns his Commission, also is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment, on his retirement. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Ramon Alexander Leopold Cabrera, from the 2nd Royal Surrey Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary.) Dated

18th April, 1874.

3rd Middlesex or Royal Westminster.

Captain Frederick Alfred Stone is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Royal Elthorne, or 5th Middlesex.

Sub-Lieutenant John Farnell Walton, from the 2nd Middlesex Militia, or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 18th April, 1874.

1st or West Norfolk.

Lieutenant Morley Travers Daveney resigns his Commission. Dated 18th April, 1874.

2nd or East Norfolk.

Lieutenant Harry John Canton Haly to be Captain, vice Ensor resigned. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Shropshire.

Henry Arthur Ormsby Gore, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Royal Sussex Artillery.

Lieutenant Walter Childs Alers Hankey to be Captain. Dated 18th April, 1874.

East York.

Captain Henry le Patourel resigns his Commission. Dated 18th April, 1874.

North York.

Arthur Stronge Gilbert, late Captain 70th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 18th April, 1874.

2nd West York.

Captain Albert Charles Wood resigns his Commission. Dated 18th April, 1874.

6th West York.

Captain William Malcolm resigns his Commission. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Highland Borderers.

Captain Edgworth Horrocks resigns his Commission, also is granted the honorary rank of Major, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Quartermaster James Hollis resigns his Commission, and is placed on a retired allowance.

Dated 1st April, 1874.

The Highland Rifle.

Alfred Nevett Fletcher, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st April, 1874.

1st Royal Lanark.

Arthur Dolben Bulpett, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Scottish Borderers.

Captain William Macalpine Leny resigns his Commission. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Armagh.

William Dowman, late Captain 101st Foot, to be Captain. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Clare.

Captain and Honorary Major Charles Washington Studdert resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Donegal.

James Henry Brooke Todd Thornton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 18th April, 1874.

Kerry.

Thomas John Quill, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Kilkenny.

Harvey William de Montmorency, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 5th April, 1874.

Limerick City Artillery.

Charles Burton Barrington, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 18th April, 1874.

Roscommon.

Captain and Honorary Major William McDermott to be Major, vice French, promoted. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Lieutenant Henry Ernest Newcomen, Earl of Kingston, to be Captain. Dated 18th April,

1874.

North Tipperary.

George Frend, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Wexford.

Owen Lynden French Lloyd, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 18th April, 1874.

The Honourable Arthur Henry Chichester to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 18th

April, 1874.

Wicklow.

Richard Thomas Welch, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 18th April, 1874.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Hampshire.

Captain George Sclater Booth resigns his Commission. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Herts.

Arthur Flower, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 18th April, 1874.

Oxfordshire.

Lieutenant Holford Cotton Risley to be Captain. Dated 18th April, 1874.

North Somerset.

Lieutenant George H. T. Finzel resigns his Commission. Dated 18th April, 1874.

John Gratwicke Blagravc, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 18th April, 1874.

Alexander Ellis Ford, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 18th April, 1874.

- Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Ayr.
- Roger Montgomerie, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 14th April, 1874.
- Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Dumfries.
- John James Hope Johnstone, Esq., younger, M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th March, 1874.

[The following Appointment is substituted for that which appeared in the Gazette of the 10th March, 1871.]

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

5th Regiment of Royal Lancashire Militia.

St. John Dupond Galwey, Esq., late Captain 96th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 25th February, 1871.

FROM THE J.ONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 21, 1874.

St. James's Palace, April 20, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Julia Janet Georgina, Lady Abercromby, to be one of Her Majesty's Ladies of the Bedchamber in Ordinary, in the room of Blanche Julia, Countess of Mayo, resigned.

The Queen has also been pleased to appoint Blanche Julia, Countess of Mayo, to be an Extra

Lady of the Bedchamber to Her Majesty.

(H. 2613.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, April 20, 1874. THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for the Colonies a copy of a Despatch from the Lieutenant-Governor of British Honduras, stating that at that place the port of Kingston, Jamaica, has been declared "infected," on account of small-pox.

Admiralty, 17th April, 1874.

Royal Marines.

The undermentioned promotion has taken place in the Royal Marine Light Infantry; viz.:—

Lieutenant Edward Lee Rose to be Captain at the Plymouth Division, vice Sir R. L. Price, Bart., retired. Dated 24th March, 1874.

Admiralty, 17th April, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Naval Instructor Samuel Howse Coles has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 15th instant.

Staff Surgeon Frederic Harvey has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

War Office, Pall Mall, 21st April, 1874.

Royal Regiment of Artillery, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Roderick Mackenzie to be Lieutenant - Colonel, vice F. Miller, V.C., deceased. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Major Arthur Thornton Gratwicke Pearse, from the Supernumerary List, to be Major, vice E. Keate, placed upon the Supernumerary List.

Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Samuel Parr Lynes to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Mackenzie. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Lieutenant James Fox Brough to be Captain, vice

Lynes. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Lieutenant Charles Carmichael Lindsay is placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 22nd April, 1874.

Lieutenant Warren Hastings Frith is placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 22nd April, 1874.

Veterinary-Surgeon John Field is placed on temporary half-pay. Dated 22nd April, 1874.

In consequence of the death of Lieutenant-Colonel Miller, on the 17th February, 1874, the promotion of the undermentioned Officers to be antedated as stated against their names; viz.:—

Lieutenant-Colonel William Gilly Andrewes to the 18th February, 1874.

Major George Arbuthnot to the 18th February,

1874.

Captain Harry William Rooke to the 18th February, 1874.

Major Richard Sadleir to the 20th February,

1874.

Captain and Adjutant Alexander Murray Brown to the 20th February, 1874.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

The Honourable Atholl Charles John Liddell to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th March, 1874.

Thomas Richardson, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 17th March, 1874.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 24, 1874.

Council Office, Whitehall, April 20, 1874.

THIS day, the oath of Office of Paymaster-General was taken by the Right Honourable Stephen Cave.

Crown Office, April 22, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to constitute and appoint Sir Richard Baggallay, Knt., Her Majesty's Solicitor-General, to be Her Majesty's Attorney-General.

The Queen has also been pleased by Letters Patent under the Great Seal to constitute and appoint John Holker, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel learned in the Law, to be Her Majesty's Solicitor-General.

Crown Office, April 24, 1874.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Preston.

John Holker, Esq., Her Majesty's Solicitor-General. Marine Department, Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, April 23, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, inclosing a Decree published in the Official Gazette of the 23rd March, by which the fine of 221,300 pesetas (nearly £9,000) imposed upon a Spanish vessel, the "Mercedes," for leaving Cuba without having her manifest viséd as required by the 1st Article of the Decree of the 30th May last, is remitted. The remission is also extended to all other vessels fined for not having their manifests viséd by the Custom-houses in Spanish Colonies, provided they were despatched by those Custom-houses before the 29th October, 1873.

The same Decree declares that for the sake of equity, masters of vessels despatched by those Custom-houses down to the date of the Decree, viz.:—the 12th March, 1874, shall be relieved of fines imposed for not having their manifests viséd, provided that they carry a register issued by the same Custom-houses agreeing with the manifests presented by the masters.

Admiralty, April 21, 1874.

NAVAL KNIGHTS OF WINDSOR.

The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty do hereby give notice to such Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Navy, and to such Lieutenants of the Royal Navy retired with the rank of Commander, as are desirous of being recommended for the appointment of Naval Knight of Windsor, under the will of the late Samuel Travers, Esq., that they must apply at this office, either personally or

by letter, on or before the 21st day of May next, when they will be informed of the nature of the certificates and testimonials which are required to show that they come within the meaning of the will, an extract from which is herewith appended:

- "These gentlemen are to be superannuated or disabled Lieutenants of English men-of-
 - "war, single men, without children, inclined
 - "to lead a virtuous, studious, and devout
 - "life; to be removed if they give occasion "for scandal."

By the Act 30 and 31 Victoria, cap. 100, widowers are deemed single men within the meaning of the will in question.

Admiralty, 24th April, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of the 5th February, 1872, and 4th August, 1873, the undermentioned Sub-Lieutenants have been placed on the Retired List of their rank from the 1st October, 1873:—

Edmund Fercy Brett. Edward Broughton Eyre.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Lancaster.

William Harrison, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Pembroke.

Thomas Thompson Jackson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 16th April, 1874.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of APRIL 28, 1874.

Foreign Office, April 27, 1874.

THE Earl of Derby, Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs, has been informed by Her Majesty's Minister at The Hague, that it has been officially intimated to him by the Netherland Government that the blockade of the West Coast of Acheen, from Tolmon to, and including Waylah, has been raised, except as regards the import of arms and ammunition, which is still prohibited.

Crown Office, April 25, 1874.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Hackney.

John Holms, of 16, Cornwall-gardens, South Kensington, and

Henry Fawcett, of 42, Bessborough-gardens, Pimlico. The former election for the said Borough having been declared void.

(H. 2800.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, April 27, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Monte Video, stating that the quarantine regulations in the ports of that Republic imposed upon vessels arriving from Argentine ports had been relaxed (excepting those upon vessels arriving from Buenos Ayres), but are again in full force on account of an outbreak of cholera in Entre Rios.

It is also stated that the authorities at Buenos Ayres had, on account of the exception of that port from the number of those the vessels arriving from which had met with some relaxation of the quarantine regulations in Monte Video, declared all Argentine ports closed against vessels arriving from all Uruguayan ports, though the latter are not infected. This prohibition does not apply to packets or to ships from the ocean calling for orders at Monte Video.

As the cholera was diminishing at Buenos Ayres it was hoped that the above arrangements would not continue long in force.

War Office, Pall Mall, 28th April, 1874.

1st Regiment of Life Guards, Lieutenant the Honourable Bernard Edward Barnaby Fitz-Patrick retires from the Service, receiving the value of a Cornetcy and Sub-Lieutenancy. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Lieutenant Reginald Charles Turnor, from the Rifle Brigade, to be Lieutenant, vice E. M. Dansey, promoted. Dated 29th April, 1874.

2nd Dragoon Guards, Sub-Lieutenant Warner Ottley to be Lieutenant. Dated 27th March, 1874.

The appointment of Louis Eric Ames, Gent., to a Sub-Lieutenancy, dated 28th March, 1874, is cancelled. Dated 29th April, 1874.

5th Dragoon Guards, Lieutenant Frederick Ferdinand Burkinyoung to be Captain, vice F. Gist, retired. Dated 8th April, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Maunsell Bowers to be Lieutenant.

Dated 13th April, 1872.

Sub-Lieutenant Jocelyn Tufton Farrant Otway, from the 1st Dragoon Guards, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant F. F. Burkin-young. Dated 29th April, 1874.

7th Hussars, Sub-Lieutenant William Baines Morris to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th April,

1873.

9th Lancers, The transfer of Sub-Lieutenant Francis William Edwin Maunsell, from the 21st Hussars, dated 28th March, 1874, is cancelled. Dated 29th April, 1874.

21st Hussars, The appointment to a Sub-Lieutenancy of Francis William Edwin Maunsell, Gent., dated 28th February, 1874, is cancelled. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Serjeant Edward Bowater McInnis, from the 16th Lancers, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice F. W.

E. Maunsell. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Coldstream Guards, Lieutenant and Captain the Honourable John R. W. Vesey to be Captain and Lieutenant Colonel, vice Norman Burnand,

retired. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Lieutenant Alexander William Maxwell Clark Kennedy to be Lieutenant and Captain, vice the Honourable J. R. W. Vesey. Dated 15th April, 1874.

John George, Viscount Lambton, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant A. W. M. Clark Kennedy. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Lieutenant and Captain the Honourable Edward Henry Trafalgar Digby to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant and Captain the Honourable J. R. W. Vesey, promoted. Dated 29th April, 1874. Scots Fusilier Guards, Major and Brevet Colonel Henry Poole Hepburn, C.B., to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel F. C. A. Stephenson, C.B., promoted Major-General. Dated 21st March, 1874.

Neil James Menzies, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant G. G. Blane, pro-

moted. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Brigade Depôt, Quartermaster William Fraser retires upon half-pay. Dated 29th April, 1874.

2nd Foot, Lieutenant Jasper Selwyn Tupper to be Captain, vice C. A. Blyth, retired. Dated 8th April, 1874.

3rd Foot, Captain and Brevet Major Francis Eteson to be Major, vice C. Parsons, made Supernumerary on being appointed a Professor at the Staff College. Dated 28th March, 1874.

Lieutenant George Agar Alexander to be Captain, vice Brevet Major F. Eteson. Dated 28th

March, 1874.

4th Foot, Lieutenant John Rimington Sharp to be Captain, vice J. H. McEwen, made Supernumerary on being appointed Adjutant 3rd Administrative Battalion Laneashire Rifle Volunteers. Dated 3rd March, 1874.

Lieutenant Robert Simpson to be Captain, vice C. E. Billing, retired. Dated 15th April,

1874.

5th Foot, Captain Charles Lewes Dashwood retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1874.

8th Foot, Lieutenant Nash Short to be Captain, vice Jeremy Peyton Jones, made Supernumerary on being appointed Adjutant 1st Administrative Battalion Hampshire Rifle Volunteers. Dated 3rd March, 1874.

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- 10th Foot, Lieutenant Arthur William King retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1874.
- 14th Foot, Captain and Brevet Major Richard Hussey Vivian to be Major, vice J. Leyne, retired. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Lieutenant Roger Hall to be Captain, vice Brevet Major R. H. Vivian. Dated 15th April, 1874.

- 16th Foo', Sub-Lieutenant Charles James John Butler to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th April, 1872.
- 21st Foot, Lieutenant Henry Feilden to be Captain, vice A. T. Perkins, retired. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- 22nd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant William Frederick Curteis to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th April, 1872.
- 23rd Foot, Lieutenant Robert Henry Palk to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant W. A. Johnston. deceased. Dated 3rd April, 1874.
- 31st Foot, Fitzroy Richard Clarence Paget, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. W. Bateman, promoted. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Lieutenant William Thomas Deverell to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant R. R. C. Hill, promoted. Dated 29th April, 1874.

34th Foot, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Joseph Jordan to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel John Gwilt, C.B., retired on half-pay. Dated 8th April, 1874.

Captain and Brevet Major Arthur Trevor Leake Chapman to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel J. Jordan. Dated 8th April, 1874.

36th Foot, Lieutenant Thomas Mercer Maxwell to

- be Captain, vice Christopher Spnrgeon, deceased. Dated 6th March, 1874.
- 38th Foot, Lieutenant Charles Percy Smith retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1874.
- 46th Foot, Licutenant Henry Johnson retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1874.
- 49th Foot, Lieutenant Edward Brooke Thornton to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant W. Stevenson, promoted. Dated 6th March,
- 58th Foot, The legal representatives of the late Lieutenant Cyril Hugh Selby Gambier receive the value of an Ensigney, he having been transferred to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 29th April, 1874.
- 64th Foot, Captain George Henry John Haldane to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel G. D. Barker, made Supernumerary, on being appointed a Professor at the Staff College. Dated 28th March, 1374.
- Licutenant Richard James William Dennistoun to be Captain, vice G. H. J. Haldane. Dated 28th March, 1874.
- 65th Foot, Halford Dumergue Gerrard, India Cadet, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant G. B. D. Thornhill, retired. Dated 29th April, 1874.
- 74th Foot, Lieutenant James Montgomery Williamson retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1874.
- 76th Foot, Lieutenant Donglas Campbell De Wend to be Captain, vice H. F. Hooper, retired. Dated 15th April, 1874.

- 89th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Robert Hutchison Campbell Tufnell, from the 46th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant M. E. H. O. Welch, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 29th April, 1874.
- 93rd Foot, Lieutenant Thomas Henry Burton Forster, from the 81st Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice F. W. Welch, promoted. Dated 29th April, 1874.
- 96th Foot, Captain Henry Houghton, about to be appointed to the Militia, retires on half-pay. Dated 29th April, 1874.
- 97th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Norman Houstoun Leckie to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th April, 1872.
- Serjeant Instructor of Musketry Alexander Foster, from 80th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1874.
- 102nd Foot, Lieutenant John Blair to be Captain, vice James John Barclay, deceased. Dated 20th March, 1874.
- 103rd Foot, Lieutenant Edward Hugh Hughes retires from the Service. Dated 29th April, 1874.
- 1st West India Regiment, Licutenant Charles Joucs Lucius Hill to be Captain, vice D. Gardiner, retired upon full-pay. Dated 8th April, 1874.
- George Vaughan Harrison, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant Lewis Burke, deceased. Dated 29th April, 1874.
- 2nd West India Regiment, The appointment to an Ensigncy of William Gordon Patchett, Gent., which appeared in the Gazette of 27th October, 1871, to bear date 28th October, 1871, instead

of 31st October, 1871, such antedate not to carry back pay.

Sub-Lieutenant William Gordon Patchett to be

Lieutenant. Dated 28th October, 1871.

The appointment to an Ensigncy of Herbert Hope Keighley, Gent., which appeared in the Gazette of 27th October, 1871, to bear date 28th October, 1871, instead of 31st October. 1871, such antedate not to carry back pay.

Sub-Lieutenant Herbert Hope Keighley to be

Lieutenant. Dated 28th October, 1871.

CONTROL DEPARTMENT.

Supply and Transport Sub-Department, Sub-Assistant - Commissary Henry McCleland is permitted to resign his Commission. Dated 18th April, 1874.

To be Sub-Assistant Commissaries.

Joseph Whitley, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1874. Geoffrey Stanley, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1874. John Steevens, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Edward Willis Duncan Ward, Gent. Dated 1st

April, 1874.

Charles Purchas, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1874. Robert Brophy McComb, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1874. Ernest Charles Wainwright, Gent. Dated 1st

April, 1874.

Herbert Joseph Cousins, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1874.

William Henry Winspear, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Ernest Tilson Shaen Carter, Gent. Dated 1st

April, 1874.

George Robert Atkinson, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Lewis Anstruther Hope, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Edwin Samuel McMurray, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Arthur Ashley, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Charles Heinekin Ozanne, Gent. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Charles John Dromgoole, Gent. Dated 1st April. 1874.

Assistant-Commissary William C. Gordon to be Deputy - Commissary (Supernumerary), vice Henry S. R. Bagenal, to retired pay, having completed thirty years' service. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Army Service Corps, The Commission as Riding-Master of John Moorehouse to be antedated to the 15th February, 1870, such antedate not to carry back pay.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

To be Surgeons-General.

Deputy Surgeon - General Charles Alexander Gordon, M.D., C.B., vice Sir William Mure Muir, K.C.B., M.D., appointed Director-General of the Army Medical Department. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Deputy Surgeon-General William Rutherford.

M.D., C.B. Dated 1st April, 1874.

THE ROYAL VICTORIA HOSPITAL, NETLEY.

Ensign and Captain of Orderlies William Hawtree is removed from the Army, Her Majesty having no further occasion for his services. Dated 29th April, 1874.

CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT.

Chaplain of the Second Class the Reverend Walter M. Wright to be Chaplain of the First Class. Dated 2nd March, 1874. Chaplain of the Second Class the Reverend J. L. Moody, M.A., to be Chaplain of the First Class. Dated 7th April, 1874.

Chaplain of the Third Class the Reverend John O'Flaherty to be Chaplain of the Second

Class. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Chaplain of the Third Class the Reverend F. A. Coghlan to be Chaplain of the Second Class. Dated 1st April, 1874.

ARMY SCHOOLS.

The second Christian name of Sub-Inspector James Cartwright is Ellis.

RETIRED FULL PAY.

Lieutenant-Colonel Rupert Barber Deering, halfpay, late Discharge Depôt, retires upon fullpay. Dated 29th April, 1874.

BREVET.

The promotion to the rank of Colonel of Lieutenant-Colonel George Tito Brice, 17th Foot, to be antedated to the 8th March. 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Rupert Barber Deering, halfpay, late Discharge Depôt, to have the honorary rank of Colonel on retiring upon full-pay. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Quartermaster William Fraser, Brigade Depôt, to have the honorary rank of Captain, on retiring

upon half-pay. Dated 29th April, 1874.

The surname of the Lieutenant-General promoted to be General, in Gazette of 14th April, 1874, is Michel, not Michael, as then stated.

The undermentioned promotion to take place in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, consequent on the death of General Adolphus Derville, Madras Infantry, on 27th March, 1874:-

Lieutenant-General Henry Cracklow, Bombay

Infantry, to be General. Dated 28th March, 1874.

The following promotions to take place on the British Establishment, in consequence of the death, on the 27th March, 1874, of General Adolphus Derville, Madras Infantry:—

Brevet Colonel Lord Alexander George Russell, from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, late Rifle Brigade, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to the 28th March, 1874.

Major John Penton, 89th Foot, to be Lieutenant-

Colonel. Dated 28th March, 1874.

Captain Alfred Cook, 40th Foot, to be Major. Dated 28th March, 1874.

MEMORANDA.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Francis Rowland Forster, half-pay, late 4th Dragoon Guards, is permitted to commute his retired allowance. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Bourke, half-pay, late Staff Officer of Pensioners, retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 10th April, 1874.

War Office, 28th April, 1874.

MILITIA.

Royal Berks.

Lieutenant Robert Gray Cornish Mowbray resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1874.

William Henry Grenfell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1874.

Royal Carnarvon.

Lieutenant William Kinsey Hayward to be Captain, vice Griffith, resigned. Dated 29th April, 1874.

2nd Royal Cheshire.

Lieutenant Francis Henry Cheetham resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Cornwall Rangers.

Lieutenant Horace Watson Prior to be Captain. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Lieutenant Horatio Bomford resigns his Com-

mission. Dated 29th April, 1874.

For Conway Stratford George Canning, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 21st February, 1874, as notified in the Gazette of 20th February, 1874.

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Read, The Honorable Conway Stratford George
Canning to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 21st

February, 1874.

Dorset.

The appointment of Major Harman to bear date 18th April, 1874, and not 4th April, 1874, as notified in the Gazette of the 17th April, 1874.

1st Durham.

Ernest John Winslow Maitland, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1874.

Royal North Gloucester.

Francis Paul John Butler, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Hampshire.

Captain George Masters Cardew, 67th Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 1st April, 1874. Adjutant George Masters Cardew to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Hereford.

Lieutenant Richard Harcourt Capper resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Hertford.

Lieutenant Bartle George Goldsmid resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Royal Merioneth.

Lieutenant Romer Williams resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Royal East Middlesex.

Lieutenant Charles Albert Whyte resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1874.

2nd Middlesex, or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment.

Assistant Surgeon Basil Ringrose resigns his Commission: Dated 29th April, 1874.

4th or Royal South Middlesex.

Captain Charles Foveaux Kirby resigns his Commission, also is granted the honorary rank of Major, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Royal Elthorne, or 5th Middlesex.

Duncan Maedonald Hedley, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1874.

Northumberland.

Major John Philip Osbaldiston Mitford resigns his Commission, also is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Oxford.

Major Herbert Buchanan resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Charles Henry Benett Williams, Gent, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1874.

2nd Somerset.

Alfred Thrale Perkins, late Captain 21st Foot, to be Captain. Dated 8th April, 1874.

Henry George Daniel, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Suffolk Artillery.

Lieutenant William Erskine Forbes resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1874.

3rd Royal Surrey.

The Christian names of Captain Howitt are Matthew Baker, not Matthew only, as stated in the Gazette of 19th July, 1872.

3rd West York.

John Stanley Lightfoot, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1874.

5th West York.

Lieutenant Frederick Barff Briggs resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Philip Fonnereau resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Eustace Reginald Maudslay, from the Royal North Gloucester Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1874.

6th West York.

Lieutenant Walter Alcock resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Lieutenant Percival Frederick Beaumont resigns bis Commission. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Antrim Artillery.

Lieutenant Charles Abercrombie Cooper to be Captain, vice Legg, deceased. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Armagh.

The appointment of Captain Dowman to bear date the 18th of April, 1874, and not the 1st April, 1874, as notified in the Gazette of the 17th April, 1874.

John Blakeney De la Poer Beresford, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Cavan.

Sub-Lieutenant Tissington William Garnett Tatlow resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Galway.

James Herbert Valentine Browne, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Limerick City Artillery.

Vereker is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Queen's County.

Sub-Lieutenant Richard Hawkesworth resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1874.

North Tipperary.

Captain Henry Charles Mansergh resigns his Commission. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Royal Tyrone Fusiliers.

Lieutenant Heury George Samuel Alexander to be Captain, vice Colhoun, resigned. Dated 29th April, 1874.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Essex.

Frederick Napier Broome, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Gloucestershire.

Lieutenant-Colonel-Commandant his Grace the Duke of Beaufort, K.G., resigns his Commission. Daved 29th April, 1874.

His Grace the Duke of Beaufort, K.G. (late Lieutenant - Colonel - Commandant), to be Honorary Colonel of the Regiment. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Hampshire.

Lieutenant Alfred Bonham-Carter to be Captain. Dated 29th April, 1874.

Nottinghamshire (Southern Nottinghamshire).

Cecil Theodore Weld Forester, Gent.; to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1874.

Westmoreland and Cumberland.

The Reverend George Edmund Hasell to be honorary Chaplain. Dated 29th April, 1874.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 1. · 1874.

Whitehall, May 1, 1874.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal granting the dignity of a Baronet of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland unto the undermentioned persons, and the respective heirs male of their bodies lawfully begotten:—

Henry William Peek, of Rousdon, in the county

of Devon, Esq.

Philip Rose, of Rayners, in the county of

Buckingham, Esq.

George Elliot, of Penshaw, in the county palatine of Durham, and of Whitby, in the North Riding of the county of York, Esq.

John Kelk, of Bentley Priory, in the parish of Stanmore, and of Lancaster-gate, both in the county of Middlesex, Esq.

Whitehall, May 1, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to constitute and appoint the Right Honourable Francis Robert, Earl of Rosslyn to be Her Majesty's High Commissioner to the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland.

Whitehall, May 1, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Major-General the Honourable Saint George Gerald Foley, C.B., to be Lieutenant-Governor of the Island of Guernsey, in the room of Lieutenant-

General Edward Frome, whose period of service has expired.

Foreign Office, April 30, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Newton Crane as Consul at Manchester for the United States of America.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Heinrich Barekhausen as Consul at Rangoon for the German Empire.

Foreign Office, May 1, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Georg Adolphus Mullens as Consul-General at Liverpool for His Majesty the King of Denmark.

Treasury, April 29, 1874.

The Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury have been pleased to appoint the Marquess of Bath and the Lord Ronald Charles Sutherland Leveson-Gower to be Trustees of the National Portrait Gallery, in the room of the Bishop of Winehester, deceased, and of the Earl Cowper.

Whitehall, April 24, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Henry Lewis Brooke White, of Mere Hall, in the County Palatine of Chester, Esq., Captain in Her Majesty's 17th (Leierstershire) Regiment of Foot, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may take and henceforth use the surname of Brooke in lieu of and in substitution of that of White:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's College of Arms, otherwise to be void and of none effect.

(H. 2855.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, April 29, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Agent and Consul-General at Tunis, stating that a quarantine of observation of from five to seven days has been imposed at that port on all vessels arriving, the papers of which are irregular or which earry more passengers than are mentioned in their bills of health. In the latter case the masters will be liable to a fine of from 50 to 500 franes, and to the payment of 1 piastre a-day for every passenger undergoing quarantine, unless it be undergone on board.

(S. & C. 920.)

Board of Trade, Whiteholl Gardens, April 30, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Portuguese Law, dated the 9th instant, enacting the following alterations in the Portuguese Customs' Tariff:—

1. The three different duties imposed upon unrefined sugar by the Law of December 27, 1870, are replaced by a single duty of 80 reis (4.26d.) per kilogramme.

2. The import duty on railway materials is fixed at 5 per cent. ad valorem, but such materials imported by private companies duly authorized to

construct common railways or tramways without receiving any subvention from the Government, are exempted from all duty for one year from the publication of the law.

3. The duty on staves and on wooden or iron hoops for casks is reduced to half per cent. ad

valorem.

4. Cereals in grain or in flour imported from Spain and cleared for consumption are to pay the duties as laid down in the Decrees of 11th April, 1865, and of 28th March, 1870, upon cereals

imported by the sea ports.

5. All steamers, both Portuguese and foreign, whether they receive or discharge merchandize, and whether they land or take passengers, either in any continental port, or in the Islands of the Azores and Madeira are to pay a duty of 30 reis (1.60d.) per cubic metre.

Admiralty, 28th April, 1874.

The undermentioned Officer has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Surgeon in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 10th instant:—

James Long, M.D.

Admiralty, 29th April, 1874.

Commander Charles Gray Jones has been this day promoted to the rank of Captain in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Robert Bacon has this day been promoted to the rank of Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's

Fleet.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Staff Commander John P. Dillon has been placed on the Retired List from this date.

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India Office, 29th April, 1874.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps and of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces:—

BREVET.

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Smart, Madras Infantry.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant William Henry Miller Francklyn, Madras Infantry. Dated 4th December, 1873. Lieutenant Thomas Hay Campbell, Madras In-

fantry. Dated 20th December, 1873.

Lieutenant Henry Charles Hamilton, Madras Infantry. Dated 20th December, 1873.

Lieutenant Robert Bartholomew, Bengal Cavalry. Dated 20th February, 1874.

SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Robert Stevenson Moseley. Dated 17th February, 1874.

Major Alfred Worseley Montagu. Dated 20th

February, 1874.

Major Alexander Callander. Dated 20th February, 1874.

To be Majors.

Captain Montague Charles Perreau. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Captain Harry Dawkins Eardley Wilmot Chester. Dated 20th February, 1874.

Captain Alexander Haldane Eckford. Dated 20th February, 1874.

Captain George Robertson Hennessy. Dated 4th February, 1874.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant William Francis Trotter. Dated 18th February, 1874.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Charles Denroehe

Swete. Dated 3rd February, 1874.

Lieutenant George Brehon. Dated 25th February, 1874.

BENGAL ARMY.

GENERAL LIST OF CAVALRY OFFICERS.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Charles Bell Horsbrugh to be Captain. Dated 22nd January, 1874.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Charles Lopes Pereira. Dated 10th December, 1873.

Major Clement John Smith. Dated 10th December 1872

ber, 1873.

Major Edward Lewis Hankin. Dated 10th Deeember, 1873. Major Henry Edward Ryves. Dated 11th De-

eember, 1873.

Major Patrick Salter. Dated 11th December, 1873.

Major Samuel Crauford Montgomerie. Dated 11th December, 1873.

Major Benjamin John Chauvel Prior. Dated 11th

December, 1873.

Major Harvey Tuckett Duncan. Dated 20th December, 1873.

Major Charles Cherry Minchin. Dated 20th December, 1873.

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Major David Shaw. Dated 8th January, 1874.

Major Malcolm Kemp Bourne. Dated 11th January, 1874.

Major Osborne Morgan. Dated 11th January, 1874.

Major Robert Sutton Burge. Dated 11th January, 1874.

Major John Duval. Dated 11th January, 1874. Major Archibald Thomas Baldwin. Dated 13th January, 1874.

Major James Allardyce. Dated 20th January, 1874.

Major Richard Henry Beddome. Dated 20th January, 1874.

Major Rowland Farrer. Dated 20th January, 1874.

To be Majors.

Captain Thomas Weldon. Dated 9th December, 1873.

Captain William Popham Dieken. Dated 9th December, 1873.

Captain Charles Walker Street. Dated 9th December, 1873.

Captain Woulfe Hay. Dated 10th December, 1873.

Captain Thomas Obbard. Dated 10th December, 1873.

Captain Henry Ibbetson Lugard. Dated 14th December, 1873.

Captain Robert Andrews Cole. Dated 14th December, 1873.

Captain Andrew Balmer. Dated 14th December, 1873.

Captain James Keating Clubley. Dated 14th 1) ecember, 1873.

Captain Daniel Wilson Laughton. Dated 14th December, 1873.

MADRAS ARMY.

INFANTRY.

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Alexander Crombie Silver. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) John Penrose Coode. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant - Colonel (Major - General) Michael Galwey, C.B. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Major-General) Albert Henry Andre & Hervey. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant - Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Douglas Hamilton. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant - Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Richard Andrew Doria. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant - Colonel (Major - General) George Sturrock. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel (Brevet Colonel) David Brown. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant - Colonel (Brevet Colonel) George Staple Dobbie. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant - Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Francis Faithful Warden. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant - Colonel (Brevet Colonel) William Taylor Money. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant - Colonel (Brevet Colonel) William Henry Freese. Dated 1st January, 1874. Lieutenant - Colonel (Brevet Colonel) Arthur

Newbolt Rich. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Late 3rd European Regiment.

Captain Henry Hanmer Chalmers Grosvenor Warrington to be Major. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Late 10th Native Infantry.

Captain Robert Beatty to be Major. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Captain Edward George Dixon to be Major. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Late 13th Native Infantry.

Captain Wigram Arthur Cheke to be Major. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Late 17th Native Infantry.

Captain Walter Rowlandson to be Major. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Late 20th Native Infantry.

Captain Augustus Drummond Grant to be Major. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Late 29th Native Infantry.

Captain Herbert Coningham to be Major. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Late 32nd Native Infantry.

Captain (Brevet-Major) William George Grove to be Major. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Late 41st Native Infantry.

Captain George Wynne Cole to be Major. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Late 43rd Native Infantry.

Captain Francis Goring Rideout to be Major. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Late 45th Native Infantry.

Captain George Edward Henry Beauchamp to be Major. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Late 48th Native Infantry.

Captain (Brevet Major) John Clinton Whish Bruce to be Major. Dated 1st January, 1874.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Robert Blair Kennedy. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Major Alexander Gordon Duff. Dated 1st Jan-

uary, 1874.

Major George William Cox. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Major George Edward Henry Beauchamp. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Major Augustus Drummond Grant. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Major William George Grove. Dated 1st Jan-

uary, 1874.

Major Robert Beatty. Dated 1st January, 1874. Major George Wynne Cole. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Major Henry Hanmer Chalmers Grosvenor Warrington. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Major John Clinton Whish Bruce. Dated 1st

January, 1874.

Major Francis Goring Rideout. Dated 1st January, 1874.

GENERAL LIST OF INFANTRY OFFICERS.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Allan Chaplin. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Henry Whyte.

Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) George Chamberlain Cooper. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Charles Edward Lorraine Eastall. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Frederick Edmund Spry. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Alexander John Shaw. Dated 1st January, 1874. Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Frank James Fraser Monro Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Edward Pennyeuick, Maltby. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) William Miller. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Robert Mildmay Clerk. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Marc Henry Wratislaw. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) James Turner Cummins. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Joseph John Fletcher. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Frederick Thomas Powis. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutanant (Brevet Captain) William Stainforth. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Dempster Heming. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) William Henry Miller Francklyn. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant (Brevet Caprain) Thomas Hay Campbell. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Henry Charles Hamilton. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant Richard Stokoe. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant Charles James Johnston. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant Henry Montagu Dale. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Lieutenant Frank Augustus Wetherall. Dated 1st January, 1874.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Lionel Chase Barton. Dated 3rd January, 1874.

Major George William Hanson. Dated 3rd January, 1874.

Major Arthur Palmer Davis. Dated 20th Jan-

uary, 1874.

Major John James Elder. Dated 29th January, 1874.

Major (Brevet Colonel) John Watson, C.B., V.C. Dated 3rd February, 1874.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant - Colonel) Robert Baigrie, C.B. Dated 3rd February, 1874.

Major Robert Burd. Dated 11th February, 1874.

To be Majors.

Captain (Brevet Major) Adam George Forbes Hogg. Dated 4th January, 1874. Captain Thomas Edmond Strong. Dated 4th

January, 1874.

Captain Simon Frascr McGillivray. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Captain Anthony Durand. Dated 20th February,

1874.

Captain Julius Middleton Boyd. Dated 20th February, 1874.

BOMBAY ARMY.

Late 3rd European Regiment.

Captain Patrick John Francis Henslowe to be Major. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Late 11th Native Infantry.

Captain (Brevet Major) Arthur Phelps to be Major. Dated 1st January, 1874.

INFANTRY.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Arthur Phelps. Dated 1st January, 1874. Major Patrick John Francis Henslowe. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Huntingdon.

Sir Henry Carstairs Pelly, Bart., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 29th April, 1874.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 5, 1874.

Admiralty, 1st May, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 3rd March, 1873—

Assistant-Paymaster Donald Alexander Lewis McAlpin has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 27th ultimo.

Admiralty, 5th May, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870 -

Commander Harcourt Thomas Gammell has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

War Office, 5th May, 1874. MILITIA.

Royal Anglesey.

Thomas Anthony Hwfa Williams, late Lieutenant, 15th Foot, to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Royal Bucks.

Richard Lyon Geaves, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Royal Cornwall and Devon Miners Artillery.

Captain Joseph Pomeroy resigns his Commission. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Royal Cumberland.

Captain Alured Augustus Darby L'Estrange is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Captain Fielding Trimmer is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Royal Denbigh.

Frederick Thomas Edwin Fitzpatrick, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 23rd March, 1874.

1st Derby.

Lieutenant Arthur Abney Sandys, from the East York Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th May, 1874.

2nd Derby.

Francis Arkwright, late Ensign, 100th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 6th May, 1874.

2nd or South Devon.

Lieutenant Henry Howorth Newton Onslow resigns his Commission. Dated 6th May, 1874.

1st Durham.

Captain Richard Lluellyn resigns his Commission. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Lieutenant George Frederick Chester resigns his Commission. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Royal Flint.

Arthur Williamson Alsager Pollock, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 6th May, 1874.

Hereford.

Captain Richard Frederick Webb is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Hants, Isle of Wight Artillery.

The resignation of Lieutenant James Lindsay Maccall, notified in the Gazette of the 10th February, 1874, is cancelled.

2nd Royal Lancashire.

Lieutenant Peter Priestley to be Captain. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Lieutenant Francis Corbett, from the Shropshire Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th May, 1874.

6th Royal Lancashire.

Captain William Lowry Auchinleck, 53rd Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 13th April, 1874.

Adjutant William Lowry Auchinleck to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 13th April, 1874.

Royal Lancashire Artillery.

For, The Honorable Augustus Pelham Brooke Loftus to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 11th February, 1874, as notified in the Gazette of the 10th February, 1874.

Read, Augustus Pelham Brooke Loftus, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 11th February,

1874.

Leicester.

Frederick Eustace Arbuthnott Wollaston, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 6th May, 1874.

Royal London.

Captain and Honorary Major Edward Vere Jones resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement.

Dated 6th May, 1874.

Captain Richard Lee Mayhew resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Lieutenant Edwin Burton to be Captain, vice Jones, who resigns. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Lieutenant Charles Latham to be Captain, vice Mayhew, who resigns. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Lieutenant William Jones resigns his Commission. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Harold John Brookdales Torry, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Royal East Middlesex.

Lieutenant Marteine Owen Mowbray Lloyd resigns his Commission. Dated 6th May, 1874.

4th or Royal South Middlesex.

Lieutenant Humphrey Joseph Weld resigns his Commission. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Royal Elthorne or 5th Middlesex.

Lieutenant William Marwood Metcalfe to be Captain, vice Rowley, deceased. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Royal Monmouth.

William Edward Carne Curre, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 6th May, 1874.

Oxford.

Captain Samuel Brewis resigns his Commission. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Shropshire.

Major Godfrey Russell resigns his Commissionalso is granted the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Captain Joseph Venables Lovett to be Major, vice Russell, who resigns. Dated 6th May, 1874.

West Suffolk.

Lieutenant Francis William Lloyd Anstruther to be Captain, vice Marshall, promoted. Dated 14th February, 1874.

Royal Sussex Artillery.

John Olliver Vallance, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 6th May, 1874.

1st Royal Tower Hamlets.

Surgeon Morgan Culhane resigns his Commission, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Royal Wiltshire.

For, Lieutenant the Honourable Marcus Wilson George Sandys to be Captain, dated 15th April, 1874, as notified in the Gazette of 14th April, 1874.

Read, Lieutenant the Honourable Marcus Windsor George Sandys to be Captain. Dated 15th April, 1874.

4th West York.

Richard Henry Francis Wharton-Wilson, late

Royal Navy, to be Lieutenant. Dated 20th April, 1874.

Edinburgh Artillery.

Lieutenant James Lindsay Maccall, from the Hants, Isle of Wight, Artillery Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 11th February, 1874.

Forfar and Kincardine Artillery.

Captain Charles Basil Fisher resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Captain Louis Tŭrŭnski is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Lieutenant William Constable Brown Constable resigns his Commission, also is granted the honorary rank of Captain, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Haddington, Berwick, Linlithgow, and Peebles Artillery.

George John Ninian Logan, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 6th May, 1874.

Royal Renfrew.

Captain and Honorary Major Robert Walkinshaw Young resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Armagh.

Lieutenant Edward Stanley resigns his Commission. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Cavan.

Francis Alexander Sanders, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Clare.

Arthur Hamilton, late Ensign, 12th Foot, to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

North Cork.

Lieutenant St. George Dyson Mansergh resigns his Commission. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Leitrim.

Captain Richard Reynoles Peyton to be Major, vice Birchall, resigned. Dated 6th May, 1874. Lieutenant John McManus to be Captain, vice Peyton, promoted. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Limerick County.

The appointment of Sub-Lieutenant the Honourable Harry de Vere Pery, notified in the Gazette of the 13th March, 1874, is cancelled.

The Honourable Harry de Vere Pery, late Sub-Lieutenant, Royal Navy, to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Louth.

Arthur McClintock, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 6th May, 1874.

Sligo.

James Dodwell Robinson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 6th May, 1874.

Westmeath.

Smyth Bond, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 6th May, 1874.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Royal North Devon.

Lieutenant Robert F. Wren resigns his Commission. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Hampshire.

Lieutenant Francis Michael Ellis Jervoise to be Captain, vice Sclater-Booth, resigned. Dated 6th May, 1874.

1st West York.

George Bryan Cooke Yarborough, late Lieutenant, 14th Hussars, to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 6th May, 1874.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 8, 1874.

Colonial Office, Downing Street, May 8, 1874.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George.

To be an Ordinary Member of the First Class, or Knights Grand Cross of the said Order:—

John Hawley Glover, Esq., sometime Commander in Our Navy, and lately Our Special Commissioner to the Friendly Native Chiefs 1874. 2 P in the Eastern District of the Protected Territories near or adjacent to Our Settlements on the Gold Coast.

To be an Ordinary Member of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Order:—

Colonel Francis Worgan Festing, R.M.A., C.B., lately in Command of Our Troops within Our Settlements on the Gold Coast.

To be Ordinary Members of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Order:—

Colonel Robert William Harley, C.B., late Administrator of Our Settlements on the Gold Coast.

Captain the Honourable Edmund Robert Fremantle, R.N., C.B., lately in Command of Our Naval Forces on the Gold Coast.

Roger Tuckfield Goldsworthy, Esq., lately Our Deputy Commissioner and Second in Command under Commander John Hawley Glover at the Gold Coast.

Surgeon-Major Samuel Rowe, engaged on the West Coast of Africa since 1862, and as Medical Officer and Chief of the Staff with Commander John Hawley Glover during the late Ashantee War.

Captain Reginald William Sartorius, of the 6th Regiment of Bengal Cavalry, and lately serving against the Ashantees, under Commander John Hawley Glover.

Lieutenant John Henry Barpard, of the 19th Regiment of Infantry, also lately serving against the Ashantees, under Commander

John Hawley Glover.

Major William Augustus Tryden Helden, of the 100th Regiment of Infantry, lately selected for Special Service on the Gold Coast. Deputy Commissary Henry Frederick Blissett, having charge of the Stores and Transport at the Gold Coast, under Commander John Hawley Glover.

Vice Admiral Charles George Edward Patey, recently Governor and Commander-in-Chief

of the Island of St. Hclena.

James Arndell Youl, of the Colony of Tasmania, Esq.

Whitehall, May 8, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Right Honourable John, Baron Kesteven, to be Custos Rotulorum of the Soke of Peterborough, in the room of the Honourable George Wentworth FitzWilliam, deceased.

Foreign Office, April 24, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Edward Bernard March, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul at Parà, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Callao.

. Foreign Office, April 25, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Henry Augustus Cowper, Esq., now Her Maiesty's Consul in the Island of Porto Rico, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Buenos Ayres.

Foreign Office, April 27, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint William Berjew Pauli, Esq., now British Vice-Consul at Carthagena, to be Her Majesty's Consul in the Island of Porto Rico.

Foreign Office, May 7, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Thomas W. Faulkner as Consul at Cowes for His Majesty the King of the Belgians.

Clurence House, May 7, 1874.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh has been pleased to appoint Captain John Clerk, late 4th Dragoon Guards, to be Equerry to His Royal Highness.

Crown Office, May 6, 1874.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Wakefield.

Thomas Kemp Sanderson, Esq., of South Parade, near Wakefield, Maltster, in the place of Edward Green, Esq., whose election has been determined to be void.

Admiralty, 7th May, 1874.

The retirement of Sub-Lieutenant Charles Skelton Nicholson, notified in the London Gazette of 20th January, 1874, has been cancelled.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Thomas A. Hamilton has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

War Office, Pall Mall, 8th May, 1874.

20th Regiment of Ilussars.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of this Regiment being permitted to bear the same distinction as was granted to the old 20th Light Dragoons, for services during the present century, viz., the word "Peninsula."

Royal Regiment of Artillery, Captain and Brevet Major Henry Brackenbury, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice Brevet Major J. M. Saunders, deceased Dated 23rd April, 1874.

Captain Edmund Hill Wickham, from the Supernumerary List, to be Captain, vice C. W. Thomson, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 9th May, 1874.

Lieutenant Alexander Dingwall Anderson (late Bengal) to be Captain, vice H. J. Kinsman (late Bengal), placed upon the Supernumerary

List. Dated 9th May, 1874.

Lieutenant Charles Wigram Long to be Captain, vice E. Bainbridge, placed upon the Super-

numerary List. Dated 9th May, 1874.

Lieutenant James H. Granville Browne is placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 9th May, 1874.

Lieutenant John Mitchell Salmond resigns his Commission. Dated 31st December, 1873.

Quartermaster John Cochran is placed upon temporary half-pay. Dated 9th May, 1874.

CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT.

The Reverend Robert Brindle to be Chaplain of the Fourth Class, vice Chaplain of the Third Class the Reverend Robert Shepherd, deceased. Dated 12th January, 1874, such antedate not to carry back allowances.

War Office, 8th May, 1874.

MILITIA.

Bedford.

Grey Thomas Saunders Sebright, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th May, 1874.

2nd Royal Cheshire.

Captain Henry Houghton, half-pay, late 96th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 29th April, 1874.

2nd or South Devou.

Washington Jackson McCoy, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 9th May, 1874.

2nd or North Durham.

Edward Scarth, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 6th April, 1874.

Hampshire.

George Hope Verney, late Lieutenant, 74th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 4th May, 1874.

East Kent.

Stephen Watson Marten, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 29th April, 1874.

1st Royal Lancashire.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Honorary Colonel Robert Whitle resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 9th May, 1874.

Leicester.

Lieutenant Charles Montague Barber resigns his Commission. Dated 9th May, 1874.

Royal London.

Captain Robert Rankin Hutchinson resigns his Commission. Dated 9th May, 1874.

4th or Royal South Middlesex.

John Arbuthnot Lindsay-Bucknall, late Captain, 97th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 9th May, 1874.

2nd or East Norfolk.

The promotion of Lieutenant Harry John Canton Haly to the rank of Captain, notified in the Gazette of 17th April, 1874, to bear date 6th April, 1874.

Northampton and Rutland.

The Honourable John Henry Trollope to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th May, 1874.

The Lord William Cecil to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th May, 1874.

Frank Armstrong White, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th May, 1874.

Henry Robert Hunt, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th May, 1874.

Robert Hunt, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th May, 1874.

Northumberland.

Lieutenant Frederick Bryan Browne, from the Argyll and Bute Artillery Militia, to be Lieutenant. Daten 9th May, 1874.

Oxford.

Captain Charles Rivers Bulkeley to be Major, vice Buchanan, resigned. Dated 9th May, 1874.

2nd Somerset.

Thomas St. Lo Malet, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th May, 1874.

5th West York.

James Hoole, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 9th May, 1874.

Andrew Montagu, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 9th May, 1874.

Highland Borderers Light Infantry

For, John Abercromby, late Lieutenant, Rifle Brigade, to be Captain, dated 15th April, 1874, notified in the Gazette of 14th April, 1874,

Read, The Honourable John Abercromby, late Lieutenant, Rifle Brigade, to be Captain. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Sir Archibald Spencer Lindsey Campbell, Bart., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 9th May, 1874.

The Honourable Charles Herbert Stuart Erskine to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th May, 1874.

The Highland Light Infantry.

Horace William Kemble, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th May, 1874.

2nd Royal Lanark.

Captain and Honorary Major Edward John Clifford resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 9th May, 1874.

Cavan.

Gerald Dease, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 9th May, 1874.

Leitrim.

Henry Willoughby Stuart Lyons Montgomery, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 9th May, 1874.

Limerick County.

William Richard Yeilding, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th May, 1874.

Monaghan.

The Honourable Richard Hamilton Westenra to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th May, 1874.

Queen's County.

James de Courcy Ireland Hughes, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 9th May, 1874.

1st or South Tipperary Artillery.

MEMORANDUM.

The notification which appeared in the Gazette of the 28th March, 1873, that the services of Lieutenant William Gerald S. Fitzgerald were dispensed with, is cancelled.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Derbyshire.

Vauncey Harpur Crewe, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary), Dated 9th May, 1874.

Warwickshire.

Captain William S. Dugdale to be Major (Supernumerary). Dated 9th May, 1874.

Lieutenant Charles Leigh Adderley to be Captain, vice Dugdale, promoted. Dated 9th May, 1874.

Henry Augustus Candy, late Captain, 9th Lancers, to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th May, 1874.

Edmund Huntly Hooper, late Captain, West Kent Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 9th May, 1874.

Piers Eliot Warburton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th May, 1874.

Royal Wiltshire.

For, George Simon Arthur Watson Taylor, Gent., to be Cornet, dated 30th April, 1873, notified in the Gazette of 29th April, 1873,

Read, George Simon Arthur Watson-Taylor, Gent., to be Cornet. Dated 30th April, 1873.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Aberdeen.

The Earl of March and Darnley to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th April, 1874.

The Lord Kilmarnock to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th April, 1874.

The Lord Lindsay to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th April, 1874.

The Lord Inverurie to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th April, 1874

The Viscount Macduff, M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th April, 1874.

Sir John Clark, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th April, 1874.

John Forbes Mitchell, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th April, 1874.

Robert Dalrymple Horne Elphinstone, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 24th April, 1874. The Earl of Aberdeen to be Deputy Lieutenant.

The Earl of Aberdeen to be Deputy Lieutenant.
Dated 27th April, 1874.

Treasury Chambers, May 8, 1874.

THE Lords of the Committee of Council on Education, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice, that the following situations or employments in the Department of Science and Art are withdrawn from Schedule A of the Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870; viz.:—

The situations of—
Temporary Assistant Geologist, and
Temporary Fossil Collector.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 12, 1874.

Downing Street, May 11, 1874.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Henry Fowler, Esq., to be Receiver-General for the Bermudas or Somers Islands.

Admiralty, 9th May, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant William Henn has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

War Office, Pall Mall, 12th May, 1874.

- Royal Regiment of Horse Guards, Sub-Lieutenant Allan Russell Mackenzie resigns his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 8th Hussars, Captain Harry Patrick Andrew retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 15th Hussars, Captain Rochfort Hamilton Rochfort-Boyd retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 17th Lancers, Sub-Licutenant John Montague Russell to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th April, 1872.
- 19th Hussars, Sub-Lieutenant Stephen George Wilson resigns his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- Royal Engineers, The promotion of Major E. B. Holland (late Bombay) to Lieutenant-Colonel, as notified in the Gazette of 31st March, 1874, is cancelled, that Officer having died on the 12th idem.

Major John Le Mesurier (late Bombay) to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice J. W. Playfair, pro-

moted. Dated 1st April, 1874.

The promotion to Major of Captains Augustus Le Messurier (late Bombay), on the Seconded List, and William Merriman (late Bombay), as notified in the Gazette of 31st March, 1874, to be antedated to 13th March, 1874, in succession to Major E. B. Holland, deceased.

Captain Keith Alexander Jopp (late Bombay) to be Major, vice J. Le Mesurier. Dated 1st

April, 1874.

The promotion to Captain of Lieutenant Lestock

Francis Boileau, as notified in the Gazette of 31st March, 1874, to be antedated to 13th March, 1874.

Lieutenant William Sedgwick to be Captain, vice K. A. Jopp (late Bombay). Dated 1st April,

1874.

The temporary Commissions as Lieutenant of the following Officers to be made permanent:—

Henry Edward McCallum. Dated 15th December, 1871.

Harry D'Arch Breton. Dated 15th December, 1871.

- Coldstream Guards, Ensign and Lieutenant Lord Douglas William Cope Gordon to be Lieutenant. Dated 28th October, 1871.
- Brigade Depôt, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Paget Bayly retires upon full-pay. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 1st Foot, Lieutenant Charles Pascoe Hare retircs from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 2nd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Arthur Elias, from the 105th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant A. C. Armstrong, retired. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 3rd Foot, Captain Stewart John Dyer retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 5th Foot, Lieutenant David Gregory Beamish to be Captain, vice C. L. Dashwood, retired. Dated 29th April, 1874.
- 9th Foot, Lieutenant Thornton Warner Clogstoun retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1874.

- 11th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant George Mackworth Bullock to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th April, 1872.
- 14th Foot, Captain William Wightwick Haywood, from the Bombay Staff Corps, to be Captain, vice De Lacy Richard Frank Wooldridge, who exchanges. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 15th Foot, Captain Joseph McMurray retires upon full-pay. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 17th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Archibald Adair Bruce to be Lieutenant. Dated 30th December, 1873.
- 23rd Foot, Captain Harry Charles Willes retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- Sub-Lieutenant Henry Herbert Edwards, from the 96th Foot, to the Sub-Lieutenant in succession to Lieutenant William Anderson Johnston, deceased. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 25th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Alfred George Streatfield Beadnell to be Lieutenant. Dated 31st October, 1872.
- 27th Foot, Lieutenant Raymond Wallace Esmonde White to be Captain. vice W. R. Tredennick, made Supernumerary on being appointed Adjutant Donegal Militia. Dated 17th March, 1874.
- 28th Foot, Lieutenant Herbert George Farnall retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 29th Foot, Serjeant-Major Henry Hill Bray to be Quartermaster, vice William Henry Martin, deceased. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 39th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Robert Ramsay Napier Sturt to be Lieutenant, dated 27th August, 1873, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to bear date 9th March, 1873.

- 42ml Foot, Lieutenant Walker Aitken to be Captain, vice Brevet Major William Baird, deceased. Dated 6th March, 1874.
- 49th Foot, Lieutenant Edmund Balfe receives the value of an Ensigncy on final transfer to the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 50th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant John Woodville Jones, from the 11th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant W. D. Tripe, retired. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 51st Foot, Quartermaster William Sibbald retires upon half-pay. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 54th Foot, Lieutenant Cecil Henry Law to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant W. N. Darnell, who his resigned that appointment. Dated 17th March, 1874.
- 60th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Donald Browne to be Captain, vice W. L. K. Ogilvy, made Supernumerary on being appointed Adjutant 1st Administrative Battalion Aberdeenshire Rifle Volunteers. Dated 1st April, 1874.
- 63rd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Edward Claude Rothney, from the 80th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant C. J. Ryan, promoted. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 65th Foot, Captain and Brevet Major Alexander Herman Adam Gordon, from the 84th Foot, to be Captain, vice J. Browne, retired on half-pay. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 66th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant George Egbert Walter, from the 45th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant M. C. Wood, transferred to the 10th Hussars. Dated 15th May, 1874.
- 74th Foot, Lieutenant Rupert La Trobe Lonsdale

- retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigncy. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 75th Foot, Lieutenant Charles Albert Barrett retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigney. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 80th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Hollingworth Harward, from the 1st West India Regiment, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant E. C. Rothney, transferred to the 63rd Foot. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 92nd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant John Standish Monteith Hamilton to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th September, 1873, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to be dated 24th April, 1873.
- 96th Foot, Captain George Denis Sampson, from haif-pay, late Ceylon Rifle Regiment, to be Captain, vice Henry Houghton, retired on halfpay. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 99th Foo!, The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of this Regiment being in future styled The 99th (Duke of Edinburgh's) Regiment; and of it being permitted to bear, on its second or Regimental Colour, His Royal Highness's Coronet and Cypher.
- 100th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Charles Barham Eyre Seymour to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th April, 1874.

106th Foot, Major Edward Lloyd retires upon half-pay. Dated 13th May, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Robert Henry Francis Reade Brownrigg to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th April, 1872.

Sub-Lieutenant Beresford Stuart Crichton Loftus-Tottenham, from the 14th Hussars, to be SubLieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant C. L. Heathcote, promoted. Dated 13th May, 1874.

Rifle Brigade, Lieutenant William Willoughby Cole Verner, from the 18th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice R. C. Turnor, transferred to the 1st Life Guards. Dated 13th May, 1874.

2nd West India Regiment, Archibald Ritchic Hampton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant Charles Henry Warner,

deceased. Dated 13th May, 1874.

The appointment of Edward Willis Duncan Ward, Gent., to a Sub-Licutenancy, dated 28th February, 1874, is cancelled. Dated 13th May, 1874.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

The promotion of Surgeon James Shand Duncan, M.D., to Surgeon-Major, which appeared in the Gazette of the 14th ultimo, to be antedated to 1st April, 1874.

To be Surgeons-Major.

Surgeon Charles William Griffith. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Surgeon Alexander Allan, M.D. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Surgeon Henry Walker. Dated 1st April, 1874. Surgeon William Hensman. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Surgeon Charles Edward Wikeley. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Surgeon Arthur Sanderson. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Surgeon Alexander Campbell McTavish. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Surgeon James Watson. Dated 1st April, 1874. Surgeon James Edward Clark. Dated 1st April, 1874. 2 Q Surgeon James Dow Sainter. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Surgeon Edwin Granville Ley, M.D. (African Medical Service). Dated 1st April, 1874.

Surgeon Edward Corrigan Markey. Dated 1st April, 1874.

April, 1874. Surgeon William Millar. Dated 1st April, 1874. Surgeon Hunter Alexander Colan. Dated 1st

April, 1874. Surgeon King John Parr. Dated 1st April, 1874. Surgeon William Orr. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Surgeon Edwin Parsonage, M.D. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Surgeon Joseph William Carter Neynoe Murphy. Dated 1st April, 1874.

ROYAL VICTORIA HOSPITAL, NETLEY.

Captain Bolton James A. Monsell, from half-pay, late 73rd Foot, to be Adjutant Dated 6th May, 1874.

VETERINARY DEPARTMENT.

James Webb, Gent, to be Veterinary-Surgeon on probation, vice J. Burton, appointed Veterinary Surgeon in the Royal Artillery. Dated 13th May, 1874.

RETIRED FULL PAY.

Major Arthur Hill Hull, half-pay, late Staff Officer of Pensioners, retires upon full-pay. Dated 1st April, 1874.

HALF-PAY.

Captain and Brevet Major Arthur Hill Hull, from half-pay, Unattached, Staff Officer of Pensioners, to be Major. Dated 1st April, 1874.

BREVET.

The promotion to the rank of Major-General conferred upon Brevet Coloncl Sir Garnet Joseph Wolseley, G.C.M.G., K.C.B, for distinguished service in the field, to be antedated to the 5th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to the 1st April, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Paget Bayly, Brigade Depôt, to have the honorary rank of Major-General upon retiring on full-

pay. Dated 13th May, 1874.

Major Arthur Hill Hull, half-pay, late Staff Officer of Pensioners, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel upon retiring on full-pay. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Paymaster and Honorary Captain George Roberts Noseley. Rifle Brigade, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 5th March, 1874.

Captain Joseph McMurray, 15th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major upon retiring on full-pay. Dated 13th May, 1874.

Lieutenant James Inman, retired Royal Marine Light Infantry, to have the honorary rank of

Captain. Dated 13th May, 1874.

Quartermaster William Sibbald, 51st Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain, upon retiring on half-pay. Dated 13th May, 1874.

The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service to be Colonels:—

Lieutenant-Colonel James Black, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 29th January, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Alexander Ross Elliot Hutchinson, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 30th January. 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Drury, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 30th January, 1874.

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Lieutenant-Colonel Hugh George Robison, Bom-

bay Staff Corps. Dated 31st January, 1874. Lieutenant Colonel James Edward Westropp, Bombay Staff Co:ps. Dated 1st February, 1874.

Lieutenant Colonel Alexander Gregor Forsyth, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 7th February, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Henry Shadwell Earle, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 17th February, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Briggs, Bengal Staff

Corps. Dated 17th February, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Scougall Macbean, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 22nd February, 1874

Lieutenant-Colonel George Delane, Bengal Staff

Corps. Dated 22nd February, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edmund David Russell Ross. Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 22nd February, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Edward Smalley, Bengal Staff Dated 22nd February, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Irwin Willes, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 22nd February, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel James Puckle, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 25th February, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Baillie, Bengal Sta.f. Corps. Dated 25th February, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Joshua Henry Smith, Royal Engineers. Dated 17th March, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry William Gulliver, Royal (late Bengal) Engineers. Dated 21st March, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable Ivo De Vesci Twisleton Wykeham Fiennes, 9th Lancers. Dated 25th March, 1874.

The undermentioned promotions to take place in Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, consequent on the death of General Eyre Evans Bruce, Madras Infantry, on the 9th April, 1874:—

Lieutenant-General William Prescott, Madras Infantry, to be General. Dated 10th April, 1874.

Colonel Albert Henry Andrew Hervey, Madras Infantry, to be Major-General in the East Indies. Dated 10th April, 1874.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Kent, and of the City and County of the City of Canterbury.

Sir David Lionel Salomons, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 7th May, 1874.

Admiralty, May 9, 1874.

THE Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice, that the following situations in all Naval Hospitals are included in Schedule B of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870; viz.:—

Tailors,
Seamstresses,
Laundresses,
Manglers,
Washers,
Scrubbers,
Servants to Medical Messes, and
Native Servants.

Treasury Chambers, May 11, 1874.

THE Commissioners of Her Majesty's Customs, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners

of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice, that the following employments in the Customs' Service are withdrawn from Schedule A, and added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870; viz.:—

The employment of— Glutmen preferable and ordinary.

Also the employments of-

Coal Carriers, Charwomen, and all other persons hired at weekly wages to perform menial or ordinary labour only as it is required.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 15, 1874.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, May 15, 1874.

NOTICE is hereby given, that His Royal Highness The Prince of Wales will, by command of The Queen, hold a Levee at St. James's Palace, on behalf of Her Majesty, on Monday, the 1st of June next, at two o'clock.

It is The Queen's pleasure that Presentations to His Royal Highness at this Levee shall be considered as equivalent to Presentations to Her

Majesty.

At the Court at Windsor, the 12th day of May, 1874.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

THIS day, the Honourable Gerard James Noel was, by Her Majesty's command, sworn of Her Majesty's Most Honourable Privy Council, and took his place at the Board accordingly.

At the Court at Windsor, the 12th day of May, 1874.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN's Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased, on a representation of the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education, to appoint Edward Maxwell Kenney, Esquire, M.A., of Merton College, Oxford, to be one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools.

At the Court at Windsor, the 12th day of May, 1874.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased, on a representation of the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education, to appoint John Gerald Fitzmaurice, Esquire, B.A., of University College, Oxford, to be one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools.

At the Court at Windsor, the 12th day of Moy, 1874.

PRESENT,

The QUEEN'S Most Excellent Majesty in Council.

HER Majesty in Council was this day pleased, on a representation of the Right Honourable the Lords of the Committee of Council on Education in Scotland, to appoint Thomas Anderson Stewart, Esquire, M.A., of the University of Aberdeen, to be one of Her Majesty's Inspectors of Schools in Scotland.

At the Court at Windsor, the 12th day of May, 1874.

THE Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that certain provisions of "The Common Law Procedure Act, 1860," be applied to the Court of Record for the Borough of Great Yarmouth, called the Borough Court, in such manner that the pleadings in the said Court shall, as heretofore, be filed in Court in lieu of being delivered, and that the powers and duties incident to those provisions which are exerciseable by the Court, or a Judge, with respect to matters in the said Court of Record, be exercised by the Recorder of the said city, or his deputy, duly appointed, and that the powers and duties exerciseable by the Master or Registrar be exercised by the Registrar of the Court.

At the Court at Windsor, the 12th day of May, 1874.

THE Queen's Most Excellent Majesty in Council was pleased to order that certain portions of the

Common Law Procedure Acts, 1852, 1854, and 1860, and certain portions of the Summary Procedure on Bills of Exchange Act, 1855, be applied to the Court of Record for the city and county of the city of Exeter, called the Provost Court.

Windsor Castle, May 12, 1874.

The Queen was this day pleased to confer the honour of Knighthood on Joseph William Bazalgette, Esq., C.B., Engineer to the Metropolitan Board of Works.

Whitehall, May 14, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Henry Hayman, D.D., to the Rectory of Aldingham, in the county of Lancaster, and diocese of Carlisle, vacant by the death of the Reverend John Macaulay.

(H. 3197.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, May 13, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received a telegram, dated yesterday, from Her Majesty's Acting Consul at Archangel, stating that the River Dwina was opened on the 11th instant, that there are no reports of ice, and that the prevailing winds are favourable for clearing the White Sea.

(H. 3225.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, May 14, 1874.

'THE Board of Trade have received a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Pernambuco, dated 28th ultimo, stating that yellow fever and small pox still prevailed in that port and city.

Admiralty, 12th May, 1874.

Navigating Lieutenant Frederick Augustus Johnston has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 10th May, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 3rd March, 1873-

Paymaster John Douglas Parminter has been placed on the Retired List from the 9th instant, and has been allowed to assume the rank of Paymaster-in-Chief from the same date.

Admiralty, May 13, 1874.

NAVAL KNIGHTS OF WINDSOR.

The Lords Commissioners of the Admiralty do hereby give notice to such Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Navy and to such Lieutenants of the Royal Navy retired with the rank of Commander, as are desirous of being recommended for the appointment of Naval Knight of Windsor, under the will of the late Samuel Travers, Esq., that they must apply at this office, either personally or by letter, on or before the 21st instant, when they will be informed of the nature of the certificates and testimonials which are required to show that they come within the meaning of the will, an extract from which is herewith appended:

"These gentlemen are to be superannuated or

"disabled Lieutenants of English men-of-"war, single men, without children, inclined "to lead a virtuous, studious, and devout

"life; to be removed if they give occasion

"for scandal."

By the Act 30 and 31 Victoria, cap. 100, widowers are deemed single men within the meaning of the will in question.

Wor Office, 15th May, 1874.

MILITIA.

Bedford.

Lieutenant Arthur George Judd to be Captain. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Lieutenant Henry John Hugh de Vismes to be Captain. Dated 16th May 1874.

Royal Berks.

Captain Arthur Thomas Pratt Barlow resigns his Commission. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Lieutenant Sydney Alers Hankey resigns his Commission. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Assistant-Surgeon Francis Arthur Bulley resigns his Commission. Dated 16th May, 1874.

1st Royal Cheshire.

Captain Henry Potts resigns his Commission. Dated 16th May, 1874.

2nd Derby.

William Gladwin Turbutt, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 16th May, 1874.

Royal Glamorgan Artillery.

Charles Basil Mansfield, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 11th May, 1874.

Royal South Gloucester.

Captain Arthur Northey Le Patourel resigns his Commission. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Lieutenant John William Holmes resigns his Commission. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Hampshire.

Lieutenant Lawrence Fortescue resigns his Commission. Dated 16th May, 1874.

2nd Royal Lancashire.

Major the Honourable Frederick Arthur Stanley to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Captain and Honorary Major Charles Sutton Garraway to be Major. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Captain Richard George Bomford Bolton to be Major. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Royal South Lincoln.

George Clark Downing, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Royal East Middlesex.

John Wood Gordon, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 16th May, 1874.

2nd Middlesex or Edmonton Royal Lifle Regiment.

Lieutenant - Colonel Henry Riversdale Grenfell resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Major Jervoise Smith resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Lieutenant Charles Edward Wardroper resigns his Commission. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Julian Meade Schreiber, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 16th May, 1874.

3rd Middlesex or Royal Westminster.

William Hollingworth Quayle Jones, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 16th May, 1874.

Royal Elthorne or 5th Middlesex.

Lieutenant Edmond Robert Henry Gray resigns his Commission. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Northumberland.

Captain Henry, Earl Percy to be Major, vice Mitford, resigned. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Oxford.

Walter Bulkeley Barrington, late Ensign and Lieutenant Coldstream Guards, to be Captain, vice Brewis, resigned. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Lieutenant Arthur William Du Vernet resigns his Commission. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Surgeon John Briscoe resigns his Commission. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Shropshire.

Lieutenant Algernon George Bernard Whitmore to be Captain, vice Lovett, promoted. Dated 16th May, 1874.

2nd Somerset.

Lieutenant George Heberden Emery resigns his Commission. Dated 16th May, 1874.

2nd Royal Surrey.

Reynolds Harrison, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 16th May, 1874.

George Alexander Flower, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 16th May, 1874.

1st Warwick.

Captain William Hull to be Major, vice Jee, resigned. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Captain and Honorary Major William George Fetherston to be Major, vice Grimston, promoted. Dated 16th May, 1874.

2nd Warwick.

Richard Herbert Dickins, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 16th May, 1874.

Worcester.

Captain John Edwin Winnall resigns his Commission. Dated 16th May, 1874.

3rd West York.

The appointment of John Stanley Lightfoot, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, dated the 29th April, 1874, notified in the Gazette of the 28th April, 1874, to bear date 13th April, 1874.

5th West York.

Joseph Henry Hoole, Gent, to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 9th May, 1874.

6th West York.

Lieutenant-Colonel Commandmant Robert Stansfeld resigns his Commission. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Robert Stansfeld (late Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant). to be Honorary Colonel of the Regiment. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Captain Henry Fox Davis to be Major, vice Cooper, resigned. Dated 8th May, 1874.

Lieutenant John Birkbeck Evelyn Stansfeld to be Captain. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Highland Borderers, Light Infantry.

Archibald Earnest Orr Ewing, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 16th May, 1874.

2nd Royal Lanark.

Lieutenant Gavin Steel to be Captain, vice Clifford, resigned. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Antrim.

Lieutenant Henry Irwin Stuart resigns his Commission. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Royal Cork City Artillery.

Lieutenant James Edmond FitzWilliam Barry resigns his Commission. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Donegal.

Lieutenant Charles Heetor Stewart resigns Commission. Dated 16th May, 1874. Sub-Lieutenant William Mackey resigns his

Commission. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Dublin County.

Lieutenant - Colonel Charles Vesey Colthurst Vesey is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 16th May, 1874.

George FitzGerald Murphy, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 16th May, 1874.

Fermanagh.

Lieutenant John Ponsonby King resigns his Commission. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Kerry.

Albert Wiley, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Limerick County.

Lieutenant William Gough Gubbins to be Captain. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Tyrone Artillery.

Joseph Henry Greer, Gent, to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 16th May, 1874.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Hampshire.

Arthur Tristram Ellis Jervoise, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Northumberland and Newcastle.

Captain George Anthony Fenwick resigns his Commission. Dated 16th May, 1874.

West Suffolk.

Henry Farnell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 16th May, 1874.

1st West York.

Surgeon Jonathan Barber resigns his Commission-Dated 16th May, 1874.

Treasury Chambers, May 14, 1874.

THE Commissioners of Patents, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice, that the following situation is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870; viz.:—

The situation of --

Charwoman in the Patent Office.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 19, 1874.

War Office, May 16, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Lieutenant-Colonel

James Macnaghten Hogg, Chairman of the Metropolitan Board of Works, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Foreign Office, May 4, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Henry John Loftus, Esq., now Attaché to Her Majesty's Embassy at St. Petersburg, to be a Third Secretary in Her Majesty's Diplomatic Service.

Whitehall, May 19, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint James Adam, Esq., Advocate, to be Sheriff of the Shire or Sheriffdom of Perth, in the room of John Tait, Esq., resigned.

Crown Office, May 18, 1874.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Stroud.

John Edward Dorington the younger, of Lypiatt Park, Stroud, Esq., and

Alfred John Stanton, of The Thrupp, Stroud, Esq., the former election for the said Borough having been determined to be void.

Whitehall, May 12, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto Lionel Neville Frederick Ames, of Ayot St. Lawrence, and of The Hyde, in the parish of Luton, 1874.

in the county of Hertford, and of Thornham Hall, in the parish of Braneaster, in the county of Norfolk, Esquire, Lieutenant and Captain in the First or Grenadier Regiment of Foot Guards, Her Royal licence and authority that he and his issue may take and henceforth use the surname of Lyde in addition to and after that of Ames, and that he and they may bear the arms of Lyde quarterly with those of Ames, such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

(H. 3253.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, May 15, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consulat Monte Video, dated the 9th ultimo, and stating that free pratique is now afforded in ports of the Argentine Republic to vessels arriving from Uruguayan ports, as it is also to vessels arriving from Argentine ports at those of the Uruguayan Republic.

(H. 3254.)

- Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, May 15, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Madrid, enclosing a translation of a Decree of the Spanish authorities relative to vessels which undergo quarantine in Spanish ports.

An extract from the translation is subjoined:-

(Translation).

SIR,—With reference to your proposal of this date, and considering that many captains of foreign ships, taking advantage of the convenient geographical situation of our lazarets at San Simon, Tambo, Mahon, and Santander, prefer passing their quarantine in one of them instead of passing it in the countries to which they are bound, and so by their contributions to the support of the above-mentioned establishments are of considerable importance to the Treasury.

The President of the Executive of the Republic

has decided:

1. That vessels putting into the lazarets with the sole object of purging their quarantine, shall be considered as doing so under "relâche forcée," and shall as such come under the Customs' Regulations and Decree of May 30 of last year, provided that their documents are in perfect order for admission into the foreign country to which they are bound, and that they measure at least 80 metric tons if laden with tobacco, textile goods, or any colonial produce enumerated in Art. 4 of the above-mentioned Decree of the 30th May, but that in case all and each of these consitions are not fulfilled they shall remain subject to the general laws.

By order of the President I communicate this to you for your information and guidance.

Madrid, 6th April, 1874.

ECHEGARAY.

The Director of Customs.

(H. 3286.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, May 16, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Santiago stating that a Decree was issued by the Chilian authorities on the 17th March last, declaring that in consequence of the disappearance of cholera from Buenos Ayres, that port is no longer to be deemed suspected.

India Office, 18th May, 1874.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following Promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff-Corps, and of Her Majesty's Indian Forces made by the Governments in India:—

BREVET.

Captain Roderick George Thomas Stevenson to be Major, in succession to General F. Tomkyns, Bengal Infantry, deceased. Dated 17th November, 1873.

Captain (now Lieutenant-Colonel) Robert Beatty, Madras Infantry, to be Major, in succession to Lieutenant-General E. A. Cumberlege, Bengal Infantry, deceased. Pated 29th December, 1873.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Thomas Oliver Wingate, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 30th December, 1871.

Substantive Promotions.

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Major Albert Henry Bamfield. Dated 20th March, 1874.

To be Majors.

Captain James Nicholas Brutton Hewett. Dated 4th March, 1874.

Captain Thomas Nicholls Walker. Dated 14th

March, 1874.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant Robert Warburten. Dated 18th December, 1873.

Lieutenant Arnold Dashwood Strettell. Dated 4th March, 1874.

Lieutenant Thomas Deane. Dated 4th March, 1874.

Lieutenant John Albert Little. Dated 18th March, 1874.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Robert Henry Francis Rennick. Dated 26th March, 1874.

BENGAL INFANTRY.

INFANTRY.

Lieutenant - Colonel (Licutenant - General) Sir Neville Bowles Chamberlain, G.C.S.I., K.C.B., to be Colonel. Dated 17th March, 1874.

GENERAL LIST OF CAVALRY OFFICERS.

To be Captains.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Richard Bernard Lockwood. Dated 5th January, 1874.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Robert Bartholomew. Dated 27th March, 1874.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Majors.

Captain Frederick James Hicks. Dated 1st February, 1874.

Captain Henry Morris Stanley Clarke. Dated 4th February, 1874.

Captain Charles Henry Plowden. Dated 14th February, 1874.

Captain James Black Reid. Dated 20th Feb-

ruary, 1874.

Captain George Shaw Butler Hewetson. Dated 20th February, 1874.

Captain Thomas Patrick Fraser Tytler. Dated 20th February, 1874.

MADRAS ARMY.

INFANTRY.

Major Edward George Dixon to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 8th January, 1874.

Late 10th Native Infantry.

Captain Frank Beeching to be Major. Dated 8th January, 1874.

Late 42nd Native Infantry.

Captain Henry Riversdale Elliot to be Major. Dated 8th January, 1874.

GENERAL LIST OF INFANTRY OFFICERS.

Lieutenant Rowland Henry Thomas Hill to be Captain. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Cambridge.

The Honourable Eliot Constantine Yorke, M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 9th May, 1874.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Sussex.

Ernest Noel, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 12th May, 1874.

- Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the East Riding of the County of York, and the Borough of Kingston-upon-Hull.
- Sir Henry Mervyn Vavasour, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 1st May, 1874.
- Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the West Riding of the County of York, and of the City and County of the City of York.
- Henry William Ripley, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 4th May, 1874.

Treasury Chambers, May 16, 1874.

THE Principal Commissary Clerk, Edinburgh, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby gives notice, that the situations in his Office are included in Schedule B of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 22, 1874.

Foreign Office, May 21, 1874.

THE Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Friedrick Ludwig Wilhelm Schöner as Consul in Trinidad for His Majesty the King of Denmark.

Downing Street, May 20, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Stephen Rendell, Esq., to be a Member of the Legislative Council of the Island of Newfoundland.

Crown Office, May 21, 1874.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Borough of Dudley.

Henry Brinsley Sheridan, of Oaklands, St. Peter's, Isle of Thanet, Esq., the former election having been determined to be void.

(S. & C. 1099.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, May 21, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Salonica, reporting that from the 5th instant until the ensuing harvest the exportation of cereals from Salonica is prohibited, with the exception, however, of those brought from districts not included in the Sandjack of Salonica.

Admiralty, 21st May, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Frederick George Innes Lillingston has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Admiralty, 21st May, 1874.

Royal Naval Artillery Volunteers.

London Corps.

Warrington Baden-Powell, Esq., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 21st May, 1874.

Arthur Sutherland, Esq., to be Sub-Licutenant.

Dated 21st May, 1874.

Right Honourable Viscount Bury to be Honorary Lieutenant. Dated 21st May, 1874.

Lambton Young, Esq., to be Honorary Lieutenant. Dated 21st May, 1874.

War Office, Pall Mall, 22nd May, 1874.

- 1st Regiment of Life Guards, Sub-Lieutenant Lord James Arthur Wellington Foley Butler to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th May, 1872.
- Royal Horse Guards, Herbert Thellusson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice A. R. Mackenzie, resigned. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 2nd Dragoon Guards, Sub-Lieutenant Richard John Waldie-Griffith to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th May, 1872.
- 3rd Dragoon Guards, Major Henry W. Berkeley retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 7th·Hussars, Veterinary-Surgeon Francis Walker to be Veterinary-Surgeon of the First Class. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 9th Lancers, Lieutenant Egremont Eaden Shearburn, from the 3rd West York Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice P. Green, promoted. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

- 12th Lancers, Lieutenant Edward Wentworth Fisher Holden Alleyne resigns his Commission. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 15th Hussars, Lieutenant William White to be Captain, vice R. H. Rochfort-Boyd, retired. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 18th Hussars, Sub-Lieutenant Bernhard Drysdale Möller to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th May, 1873.
- 19th Hussars, Quartermaster William Langdale retires upon half-pay. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 20th Hussars, Sub-Lieutenant John Eustace Jameson to be Lieutenant, dated 4th February, 1874, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to bear date 8th May, 1873.
- Royal Artillery, Lieutenant General George Campbell, C.B. (late Bengal), to be Colonel-Commandant, vice Lieutenant - General Sir Archdale Wilson, Bart., G.C.B. (late Bengal), deceased. Dated 10th May, 1874.

Lieutenant - Colonel and Brevet Colonel Hill Wallace, C.B. (late Bombay) to be Colonel, vice Sir A. B. Kemball, K.C.S.I., C.B., (late Bombay), promoted Major-General. Dated

10th May, 1874.

Major William Denis-de Vitré (late Bombay) to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel Wallace (late Bombay), promoted. Dated 10th May, 1874.

Captain Thomas Carr Fletcher (late Bombay) to be Major, vice Denis-de Vitré, promoted.

Dated 10th May, 1874.

Captain Charles Hart Pickering to be Major, vice C. B. Brackenbury, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Lieutenant Herbert Frederic Gaimes to be Captain,

vice T. C. Fletcher (late Bombay), promoted.

Dated 10th May, 1874.

Lieutenant Henry Haughton Hardinge, to be Captain, vice C. H. Pickering, promoted. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

- Brigade Depôt, Quartermaster Donald Munrc, from the 58th Foot, to be Quartermaster, vice W. Fraser, retired on half-pay. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 3rd Foot, Lieutenant George Robert Taylor to be Captain, vice S. J. Dyer, retired. Dated 13th May, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Julius Batt Backhouse to be

Lieutenant. Dated 15th May, 1872.

8th Foot, Lieutenant John Parry Hamer retires from the Service, receiving the value of his

Commission. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Edward Henry Hopton Montresor to be Lieutenant, dated 6th September, 1873, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to bear date 8th May, 1873.

14th Foot, Captain John Wilson retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission.

Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Charles Withers Ravenshaw to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th May, 1872.

15th Foot, Lieutenant Edward James Singleton to be Captain, vice J. McMurray, retired on full-pay. Dated 13th May, 1874.

Captain Francis Henry Garnett retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission.

Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Frederic Montgomery Bridson Ingall to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th May, 1872.

Sub-Lieutenant Edward Hanstock, from the 97th Foct, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice C. A. Grubb,

- transferred to the 94th Foot. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 16th Foot, Lieutenant Hillyard Henry Angus Cameron to be Captain, vice W. Klingender, made Supernumerary on being appointed Adjutant of the Hertford Militia. Dated 19th March, 1874.
- Lieutenant Henley Charlton Wynn Griffith retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 18th Foot, Lieutenant George Avery Godfrey to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Samuel Phillips. who resigns that appointment. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 21st Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Torrens Lyster retires from Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 23rd Foot, Lieutenant Archibald Young Leslie to be Captain, vice H. C. Willes, retired. Dated 13th May, 1874.
- 28th Foot, Lieutenant John Henry Edward Hinde to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant E. J. B. Wither, promoted. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 30th Foot Quartermaster James Robinson is removed from the Army, Her Majesty having no further oceasion for his services. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 31st Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Charles Alexander George Cumine to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th May, 1872.
- 45th Foot, Colour-Serjeant George Alfred Jones, from the 8th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice B. Briscoe, transferred to the 37th Foot. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 49th Foot, Major Thomas Erskine Arthur Hall

- retires upon half-pay, having been appointed Deputy Adjutant-General, Bombay. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 51st Foot, Lieutenant Edward Theophilus Murray, from the 25th Foot, to be Quartermaster, vice W. Sibbald, retired on half-pay. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 53rd Foot, Captain William Lowry Auchinleck to be made Supernumerary on being appointed Adjutant of the 6th Royal Lancashire Militia. Dated 13th April, 1874.
- 58th Foot, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Hood retires upon half-pay. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 60th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Guy Theophilus Campbell, from the 1st Foot, to be Sub Lieutenant in succession to Lieutenant H. D. Browne, promoted. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 74th Foot, Lieutenant Charles Douglas Hay retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 83rd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Edward Charles Lethbridge Walter, from the 80th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 87th Foot, For Lieutenant George Christopher Oldfield Courtenay is superseded for absence without leave, dated 29th October, 1873, as stated in the Gazette of the 28th October, 1873,
 - Read, Lieutenant George Christopher Oldfield Courtenay retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 29th October, 1873.
- 89th Foot, Captain Duncan Campbell, about to be appointed to the Militia, retires on half-pay. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

106th Foot, Captain Francis Warden to be Major, vice E. Lloyd, retired on half-pay. Dated 13th May, 1874.

Lieutenant William Ainsworth to be Captain, vice F. Warden. Dated 13th May, 1874.

Rifle Brigade, Sub-Lieutenant the Honourable Edward Noel to be Lieutenant. Dated 15th May, 1872.

Sub-Lieutenant Edward Prittie resigns his Com-

mission. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

1st West India Regiment, Arthur Graves Spratt, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. H. Harward, transferred to the 80th Foot. Dated 23rd May, 1-74.

Edward Story Humphreys, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant C. J. L. Hill,

promoted. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Samuel Block Orr, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant John Williams,

deceased. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Lieutenant John Meredith Maltby to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant A. C. Allinson, promoted, Dated 20th March, 1874.

2nd West India Regiment, James Henry Thompson, Gent, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice E. W. D. Ward, whose appointment has been cancelled. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

The appointment of Douglas Minto Allen, Gent., to a Sub-Lieutenancy, dated 28th February, 1874, is cancelled. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Medical Department, Surgeon-Major David Woods retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 18th April, 1874.

BREVET.

Major-General Richard Cornwallis Moore, C.B., Colonel - Commandant, Royal (late Madras) Artillery, to be Lieutenant-General, vice Sir Archdale Wilson, Bart., G.C.B., Colonel-Commandant Royal (late Bengal) Artillery, deceased.

Dated 10th May, 1874.

Colonel Sir Arnold Burrowes Kemball, K.C.S.I., C.B., Royal (late Bombay) Artillery, to be Major-General, vice Moore, promoted, dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to the 10th May, 1874.

Captain Cavendish Charles FitzRoy, half-pay, late 68th Foot, to be Major. Dated 28th Octo-

ber, 1869.

Lieutenant Leslie Philip Smith, retired Royal-Marine Light Infantry, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Quartermaster William Langdale, 19th Hussars, to have the honorary rank of Captain upon retiring on half-pay. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Honorary Surgeon Charles Doig, retired, Subordinate Medical Establishment, Madras Pre-ideney, to have the honorary and local rank of Surgeon-Major. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

The following promotions, with date 1st April, 1874, to take place in succession to the undermentioned Colonets of the Royal Engineers promoted Major-Generals in the Gazette of 31st March, 1874, viz.:—

Colonel J. Cameron. C.B.

Colonel J. S. Hawkins.

Colonel J. R. Beeher, C.B.

Colonel H. W. B. Bell.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel A. Tayler, C.B.

Colonel R. Maelagan.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Henry Clement Swinnerton Dyer, Royal Artillery.

Major William F. Adams Colman, 8th Foot.

Captain and Brevet Major Robert Edward Henry, half-pay, late 86th Foot.

Major Leonard H. Lloyd Irby, half-pay, late 74th

Foot.

Captain and Brevet Major Andrew Green, half-

pay, late Rifle Brigade.

Captain and Brevet Major Alexander Maelean, half-pay, Gold Coast Artillery Corps, and Staff Officer of Pensioners.

To be Majors.

Captain Riehard C. H. Germon, 9th Foot.

Captain Alexander James Weeding, 33rd Foot.

Captain Robert Edward Roe, half-pay, late 86th Foot, and Staff Officer of Pensioners.

Lieutenant and Captain Robert Charles Goff, Coldstream Guards.

Captain George Kennedy Shaw, 68th Foot.

Captain Philip Edward Vietor Gilbert, 13th Foot.

The following promotions to take place on the British Establishment, in consequence of the death, on 13th April, 1874, of Major-General J. D. Stewart, Bombay Infantry:—

Brevet Colonel Charles James Conway Mills, from Lieutenant-Colonel Brigade Depôt, to be Major-General, dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 14th April, 1874.

Major Thomas Elliott Hughes, Royal Artillery, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 14th April, 1874.

Captain James William Hassell, 1st Foot, to be Major. Dated 14th April, 1874.

The following promotions to take place in accordance with the provisions of the 27th

clause of the Royal Warrant of 27th December, 1870:—

Lieutenant-General Sir Robert Percy Douglas, Bart., Colonel of the 98th Foot, to be General. Dated 14th April, 1874.

Major-General David Pott, Bengal Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 14th April,

1874.

Major-General William Irwin to be Lieutenant-

General. Dated 14th April, 1874.

Major-General Henry Darby Griffith, C.B., Colonel of the 5th Lancers, to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 14th April, 1874.

The following promotions to take place on the British Establishment in consequence of the death, on 17th April, 1874, of Lieutenant-General L. S. Bird, Bengal Infantry:—

Brevet-Colonel John Josiah Hort, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel Brigade Depôt, to be Major-General. Dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back pay prior to 18th April, 1874.

Major Charles Coote Grant, half-pay, late 16th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 18th April, 1874.

Captain Robert H. P. Doran, 50th Foot, to be

Major. Dated 18th April, 1874.

The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service to be Colonels:—

Lieutenant-Colonel William Gray, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 9th November, 1873.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Nuttall, Bombay Staff

Corps. Dated 3rd December, 1873.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Alexander Mathew Macdonald, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 24th December, 1873.

1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel George Rodney Brown, Royal (late Bengal) Artillery. Dated 17th March, 1874.

Lieutenant - Colonel the Honourable William Henry Herbert, half-pay, late 4th West India Regiment, Assistant Adjutant and Quartermaster-General, Eastern District. Dated 9th May, 1874.

MEMORANDA.

The legal representatives of the late Major Richard Raphael Meade, half-pay, late 8th Foot, are permitted to receive the value of the Commission formerly held by him.

Riding-Master and Honorary Captain William Rant, half-pay, late 5th Lancers, has been permitted to commute his retired allowance. Dated

29th April, 1874.

The undermentioned Officers retire from the Service, receiving the value of their Commissions:—

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Kendal Bushe, half-pay, late 59th Foot. Dated 22nd December, 1873.

Captain and Brevet Major Cavendish Charles FitzRoy, half-pay, late 68th Foot. Dated 1st May, 1874.

Captain Spencer Ley Greaves, half-pay, late 34th

Foot. Dated 1st May, 1874.

Lieutenant Anthony John Charles Donelan, halfpay, late 9th Foot. Dated 1st May, 1874.

War Office, 22nd May, 1874.

MILITIA.

Royal Anglesey.

Lieutenant John George Downing, from the

Shropshire Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Bedford.

Charles Theobald de Vismes, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 12th May, 1874.

Royal Bucks.

Lieutenant Henry Compton Maul to be Captain, vice Clayton, resigned. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Dorset.

Lieutenant Reginald Grant-Dalton resigns his Commission. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

The Essex Rifles.

George Babington Croft Lyons, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Royal Glamorgan Artillery.

Sub-Lieutenant Charles Scudamore Forester resigns his Commission. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

3rd Middlesex or Royal Westminster.

Wilson Noble Hoare, late Royal Navy, to be Lieutenant. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Royal Elthorne or 5th Middlesex.

Hugh Massy-Ryves, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Nottingham or Royal Sherwood Foresters.

William Bradish, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 13th May, 1874.

Shropshire.

The appointment of Henry Arthur Ormsby Gore, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, dated 18th April,

1874, notified in the Gazette of 17th April, 1874, to bear date 13th April, 1874.

2nd Royal Surrey.

Charles George Taylor, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 18th May, 1874.

3rd Royal Surrey.

Alfred Edward Darley, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 18th May, 1874.

Royal Westmoreland.

Lieutenant Francis Bentley resigns his Commission. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Haddington, Berwick, Linlithgow, and Peebles Artillery.

Lieutenant George Augustus Frederick Baillie to be Captain. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Lieutenant the Honourable Walter Stuart to be Captain. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Royal Perth.

For, Archibald Fitzroy George Hay, Gent., to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary), dated 5th October, 1872, notified in the Gazette of 4th October, 1872,

Read, the Honourable Archibald Fitzroy George Hay to be Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 5th October, 1872.

Scottish Borderers.

Robert Francis Dudgeon, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

North . Cork.

Lieutenant the Honourable James B. Burke Roche resigns his Commission. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Dublin County.

Assistant-Surgeon Gerald Francis Yeo resigns his Commission. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Qneen's County.

Sub-Lieutenant William Despard resigns his Commission. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

North Tipperary.

Captain and Honorary Major James Delany resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Lieutenant Benjamin Patrick Edward Cooke Bunbury resigns his Commission. Dated 23rd

May, 1874.

MEMORANDUM.

Her Majesty has been graeiously pleased to approve of the Limerick County Militia being permitted to resume the designation of "Royal Limerick County Militia."

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

West Kent.

Lieutenant Charles Hoare resigns his Commission. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of Orkney and Zetland.

Thomas Mowat Cameron, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd April, 1874.

George Husband Baird Hay, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd April, 1874.

Robert Thomas Charles Scott, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd April, 1874.

Thomas Edmondston, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd April, 1874.

Treasury Chambers, May 21, 1874.

THE Lords of Her Majesty's Privy Council, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice, that the following situation or employment in the Council Office is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870, viz.:—

The situation or employment of Charwoman.

THE Commissioners of Public Works, Ireland, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice, that the following situations, in connexion with the service of the Tyrone Navigation, the Maigue Navigation, and the Ulster Canal, are withdrawn from Schedule A and added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870, viz.:—

The situations of Lock Keeper, Gate Keeper, Bridge Keeper, Bank Ranger, Collector, and all situations, under whatever name, involv-

ing similar duties.

Exchequer Bills.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice to the holders of Exchequer Bills issued under the authority of the Act 29 V., c. 25, and dated the 11th June, 1871, that the Interest thereon for the half-year ending on the 11th June, 1874, will be payable at the Bank of England, on and after the 11th proximo; and that the Interest of such Exchequer Bills for the following half-year, to December, 1874, will be at the rate of three pounds per centum per annum.

All holders of Exchequer Bills dated the 11th June, 1871, who intend to demand payment of the principal sums therein contained at the expiration

of the third year of their currency, must leave the said Bills at the Bank of England for examination, not later than the 8th proximo, between the hours of ten and two; and payment of the said principal sums will be made at the Bank on and after the 11th day of June next.

Treasury Chambers, Whitehall, 22nd May, 1874.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 26, 1874.

Whitehall, May 23, 1874.

THE Queen has been pleased to direct Letters Patent to be passed under the Great Seal of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, to bear date the 24th instant, granting unto Her Majesty's Third Son His Royal Highness Prince Arthur William Patrick Albert, K.G., K.T., K.P., and the heirs male of his body lawfully begotten, the dignities of Earl of Sussex and Duke of Connaught and of Strathearn.

St. James's Palace, May 26, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Captain Sir John Edmund Commerell, R.N., K.C.B., to be one of the Grooms in Waiting in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of Colonel Lord James C. P. Murray, resigned.

(S. & C. 1115.)
Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens,
May 22, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Decree of the Spanish Government, dated the 29th ultimo, approving the decisions of the Civil Governor of the Philippine Islands with regard to the adoption of the Customs' Regulations of 1870, and the remission under certain conditions of the payment of duties on Spanish merchandise taken to those Islands by way of Suez, notwithstanding that it may have been transhipped in transit under a foreign flag.

A copy of a Customs' Tariff to come into operation in the Philippine Islands six months after the publication of the Decree, may be seen on application at the Statistical and Commercial Depart-

ment, Board of Trade.

Admiralty, 22nd May, 1874.

In aecordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Norman C. F. Uniaeke has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Admiralty, 23rd May, 1874.

Navigating Lieutenant William Wallace Vine has this day been promoted to the rank of Staff Commander in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 1st April, 1874.

> War Office, Pall Mall, 26th May, 1874.

94th Regiment of Foot.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of this Regiment being permitted to bear

upon its Second or Regimental Colour the honours and distinctions formerly borne by the old 94th Foot, which was disbanded in the year 1818; viz.:—The Elephant, with the words "Seringapatam," "Ciudad Rodrigo," "Badajoz," "Salamanca," "Vittoria," "Nivelle," "Orthes," "Toulouse," and "Peninsula."

HALF-PAY.

Lieutenant and Adjutant Geoffry Barton, from the 7th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 1st April, 1874.

BREVET.

To be Majors.

Captain Richard Kerr Bayly, 42nd Foot. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Dudley North, 47th Foot. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Jonathan Wynyard Haynes, 2nd West India Regiment. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Francis Shirley Russell, 14th Hussars. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Francis Hutton, 23rd Foot. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain Charles John Burnett, 15th Foot. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Captain H. Garrett Moore, 88th Foot. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Berwick.

The Honourable Charles William St. Clair, Master of Sinclair, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 12th May, 1874.

Sir John Marjoribanks, Bart., to be Deputy Lieu-

tenant. Dated 15th May, 1874.

Richard Trotter, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 22nd May, 1874. Treasury Chambers, May 22, 1874.

THE Serjeant-at-Arms of the House of Commons, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby gives notice, that the following situations are added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870; viz.:—

The situations of -

Temporary Cleaner, Firelighter, and Watchman.

LONDON GAZETTE of MAY 29, 1874.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, May 29, 1874.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be open to the public on and after Monday next, the 1st of June.

War Office, May 28, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to give orders for the appointment of Robert Hawthorn Collins. Esq., Private Secretary to His Royal Highness the Prince Leopold, to be an Ordinary Member of the Civil Division of the Third Class, or Companions of the Most Honourable Order of the Bath.

Colonial Office, Downing Street, May 28, 1874.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following appointments to the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George:

To be Ordinary Members of the Second Class, or Knights Commanders of the said Order: -

Colonel Stephen John Hill, C.B., Governor of the Colony of Newfoundland.

Colonel William Francis Drummond Jervois, R.E., C.B., Deputy Director of Works for Fortifications, War Department.

Penrose Goodchild Julyan, Esq., C.B., Crown-

Agent for the Colonies.

To be Ordinary Members of the Third Class, or Companions of the said Order:-

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Fitzbarding Berkelcy Maxsc, Governor of the Island of Heligoland.

Giovanni Battista Trapani, Esq., LL.D., Collector of Land Revenue and Member of the Council of Government of the Island of Malta.

Gordon Gairdner, Esq., sometime Chief Clerk in the Colonial Office, and Secretary and Registrar of the Most Distinguished Order

of Saint Michael and Saint George.

Sir George Barrow, Bart., lately Chief Clerk in the Colonial Office, and Secretary and Registrar of the Most Distinguished Order of Saint Michael and Saint George.

Virgile Naz, Esq., Member of the Council of Government of the Island of Mauritius.

Saul Samuel, Esq., Postmaster-General and Member of the Legislative Council of the Colony of New South Wales.

Crown Office, May 27, 1874.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Town of Poole.

The Honourable Anthony Evelyn Melbourne Ashley, of 61, Cadogan-place, Sloane-street, in the county of Middlesex, and Wimborne St. Giles, in the county of Dorset, Barrister-at-Law, in the place of Charles Waring, Esq., whose election has been determined to be void.

(H. 3529.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, May 27, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Lisbon, enclosing an Official Notice respecting quarantine, a translation of which is appended:—

(Translation).

NOTICE.

Home Office, 4th Department, Political and Civil Administration.

Notice is hereby given for the information of the parties interested, that henceforward in accordance with the opinion of the Consultative Board of Public Health, vessels arriving from any ports infected or suspected of any contagious diseases, although they may have undergone quarantine in any foreign lazaretto, will not be admitted to free pratique in the Portuguese ports, unless it should be authentically proved, before the respective Health Station, that the cleansing and disinfection to which they have been submitted

are not less strict than what is required by our sanitary regulations.

Home Office, Lisbon, 15th of May, 1874. (Signed) LUIZ ANTONIO NOGUEIRA.

(H. 3529.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, May 27, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Lisbon, stating that by Official Notice the port of Pará has been declared "suspected" of yellow fever, the port of Buenos Ayres free from cholera morbus since the 4th ultimo, the port of Bahia "suspected" of yellow fever since the 15th ultimo, and the port of Santos (Brazil) "infected" with yellow fever since the 1st ultimo.

(H. 3521.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, May 28, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for the Colonies a Despatch from the Officer administering the Government of the Gold Coast, enclosing an Official Notice announcing that the blockade of the Gold Coast, established 15th December, 1873, was raised on the 17th April, 1874.

Admiralty, 27th May, 1874.

The retirement of Lieutenant Julian Alleyne Baker, as notified in the London Gazette of the 4th July, 1873, has been cancelled, and he has been replaced on the Active List of Lieutenants in Her Majesty's Fleet, with his original seniority of the 24th June, 1868.

War Office, 29th May, 1874.

MILITIA.

Royal Brecon.

Herbert Hartland Mayberry, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 14th May, 1874.

Cambridge.

Captain John Armine Willis resigns his Commission. Dated 30th May, 1874.

Royal Cornwall and Devon Miners Artillery.

Captain Joseph Pomeroy is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 6th May, 1874.

Lieutenant Thomas Moor Alphonse Horsford to be Captain, vice Pomeroy, resigned. Dated

30th May, 1874.

1st Devon.

Herbert Creyke Furneaux, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 30th May, 1874.

Dorset.

Captain Walter John Fletcher resigns his Commission. Dated 30th May, 1874.

Royal South Gloucester.

John Handcock Selwyn Payne, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 30th May, 1874.

Royal South Lincoln.

John Uppleby, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 30th May, 1874.

Royal East Middlesex.

John Hudson Watson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 30th May, 1874.

2nd Middlesex or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment.

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Dottin Maycock to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 18th May, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Dottin Maycock is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 18th

May, 1874.

Captain George Robert Stewart Black to be Major, vice Smith, resigned. Dated 18th May, 1874.

Ellis Houlton Ward, late Captain 60th Rifles, to be Captain. Dated 18th May, 1874.

Royal Elthorne or 5th Middlesex.

Lieutenant Herbert Edward Smith resigns his Commission. Dated 30th May, 1874.

Northampton and Rutland.

Frederick Harry Carroll, Gent, to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 30th May, 1874.

Oxford.

Harold Arthur Dillon, Lieutenant, half-pay, late Rifle Brigade, to be Captain. Dated 18th May, 1874.

2nd Somerset.

Walter Garnons Gwynne Philipps, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 23rd May, 1874.

The (King's Own) 1st Stafford.

Theophilus Basil Percy Levett, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 30th May, 1874.

1st Warwick.

Lieutenant Owen Lloyd to be Captain. Dated 30th May, 1874.

6th West York.

Major Henry Fox Davis resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 11th May, 1874.

Captain Robert Edward Wellington Garnham to

be Major. Dated 11th May, 1874.

Lieutenant Walter Calverley Bladys Calverley to be Captain. Dated 30th May, 1874.

Forfar and Kincardine Artillery.

Captain Alexander Chambers Hunter resigns his Commission. Dated 30th May, 1874.

Highland Borderers Light Infantry.

Major Sir Alexander Muir Mackenzie, Bart., resigns his Commission. Dated 30th May, 1874.

1st Royal Lanark.

The Honourable Thomas Horatio Arthur Ernest Cochrane, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 30th May, 1874.

Autrim Artillery.

Henry St George Richardson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 30th May, 1874.

North Cork.

St. John James St. Leger, Gent., to be Sub Lieutenant. Dated 30th May, 1874.

Royal Dublin City.

John Carmichael, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 30th May, 1874.

Kerry.

Captain Thomas Sandes resigns his Commission. Dated 30th May, 1874.

King's County.

Captain Edmund W. Fetherston-Whitney resigns his Commission. Dated 30th May, 1874.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Buckinghamshire.

James Poynter, late Lieutenant 7th Dragoon Guards, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 30th May, 1874.

William Heathcote Seagram, Gent, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 30th May, 1874.

Denbighshire.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles John Tottenham resigns his Commission. Dated 30th May, 1874. Charles John Tottenham, late Lieutenant-Colonel,

Charles John Tottenham, late Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Honorary Colonel of the Regiment. Dated 30th May, 1874.

Captain George Posnett resigns his Commission. Deted 30th May, 1874.

Royal 1st Devon.

Captain John Garratt resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 30th May, 1874.

Essex.

Henry Edwin Moojen, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 30th May, 1874.

West Somerset.

John Arundell Winter, late Lieutenant 70th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 22nd May, 1874.

County of Rutland.

The Honourable William Charles Evans Freke to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 20th May, 1874.

Treasury Chambers, May 27, 1874.

HIS Grace the Lord Lieutenant of Ireland and Her Majesty's Principal Secretary of State for the Home Department, with the concurrence respectively of the Lords Commissioners of the Treasury, hereby give notice, that the following situations are added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870, viz.:—

All situations in Prisons and in Criminal Lunatic Asylums in Great Britain and Ireland during a period not exceeding three months from the date at which the persons appointed to such situations shall have begun to be paid the salaries attached to them.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 2, 1874.

Whitehall, June 1, 1874.

THE following Address of the General Assembly of the Church of Scotland, having

been transmitted by Francis Robert, Earl of Rosslyn, Her Majesty's Commissioner, to the Right Honourable Richard Assheton Cross, one of Her Majesty's Principal Secretaries of State, has been by him presented to the Queen, which Address Her Majesty was pleased to receive very graciously:—

May it please your Majesty,

WE, your Majesty's dutiful and loyal subjects, the Ministers and Elders of the National Church of Scotland met in General Assembly, beg to tender our humble and hearty thanks for your

gracious communication.

Your Majesty's expressed determination to uphold the forms of our Presbyterian worship, government, and discipline demands, as it secures, our most grateful acknowledgments, the zeal and prudence which your Majesty condescendingly ascribes to our deliberations only encourages us to deserve, in any measure, your Royal approbation, and under a yet higher motive, we shall strive so to regulate our proceedings as to spread a knowledge of spiritual things more and more among the people, and induce them more earnestly to attend to their highest interests, both for time and eternity.

Holding the constitution of every country bound to acknowledge and support that religion which enforces honour to the Sovereign and obedience to the laws, we rejoice that your Majesty not only recognises our Supreme Court, but that your Royal person is represented in its midst. This becoming homage to the King of Kings is paid in the person of a Scottish nobleman, well qualified to discharge the duties of Lord High Commissioner, and whose appointment we

therefore hail as a renewed augury of your Majesty's interest in our venerable establishment.

Your Majesty's continued grant of two thousand pounds, for the spiritual enlightenment and progress of our Highlands and Islands, of which be pleased to accept our warmest recognition, shall be conscientiously devoted to the purposes of the generous donation.

That Almighty God, by whom kings reign, may preserve in health your gracious person, in peace your immortal soul, in stability your noble Throne, and in efficiency your Civil Government; that you may be enriched with every blessing here and in heavenly places, is the sincere wish,

the ardent prayer of

May it please your Majesty, your Majesty's most loyal and dutiful subjects, the Ministers and Elders of the Church of Scotland met in this General Assembly. Signed in our name, in our presence, and at our appointment by

Samuel Trail, D.D., Moderator.

Edinburgh, 25th May, 1874.

Whitehall, June 1, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Ambrose James Johnson, B.A., to the Perpetual Curacy of Hempton, in the county of Norfolk, and diocese of Norwich.

India Office, May 30, 1874.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to make the following promotions in, and appoint-

ments to, the Most Exalted Order of the Star of India:

To be Knights Commanders:

Robert Henry Davies, Esq., C.S.I., Bengal Civil Service, Lieutenant-Governor of the Punjab.

Colonel Richard John Meade, C.S.I., Bengal Staff Corps, Chief Commissioner of Mysore and

Coorg.

Colonel Lewis Pelly, C.S.I., Bombay Staff Corps, Agent to the Governor-General for the States of Rajpootana, and late Political Resident in the Persian Gulf.

To be Companions:

The Honourable Ashley Eden, Bengal Civil Service, Chief Commissioner of British Burmah.

Rajah Romanath Tagore, Member of the Council of the Governor-General of India, for making

Laws and Regulations.

Vernon Hugh Schalch, Esq., Bengal Civil Service, Member of the Revenue Board, and of the Council of the Lieutenant-Governor of Bengal, for making Laws and Regulations.

Crown Office, June 2, 1874.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Mayo.

George Ekins Browne, of 33, Palace Gardensterrace, Kensington, and

John O'Conner Power, of 83, Amiens-street, Dublin, Esq., the former election having been determined to be void.

(S. & C. 1135.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, June 1, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Decree of the French Government, dated the 22nd ultimo, establishing regulations in execution of the 6th Article of the Law of the 21st March last, in virtue of which goods transported from one frontier of France to another in transit, or transported directly for exportation, are exempted from the transport duty of 5 per cent.

Admiralty, 1st June, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870 --

Lieutcnant Henry Peareth Thomas Skinner has been this day placed on the Retired List of his rank.

War Office, Pall Mall, 2nd June, 1874.

86th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant Arthur James Pattison retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 15th April, 1874.

CONTROL DEPARTMENT.

Pay Sub-Department, Deputy Paymaster Charles D'O. Forbes to be Paymaster, vice Holden, deccased. Dated 4th May, 1874.

Assistant - Paymaster Edward George Pellew Mayers to be Deputy-Paymaster, vice Forbes.

Dated 4th May, 1874.

MEMORANDUM.

Commissary Thomas Sutton Marshall has been permitted to commute his retired allowance. Dated 24th April, 1874.

War Office, 19th May, 1874.

MILITIA.

MEMORANDUM.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of the Cornwall Rangers Militia being permitted to resume the title of "Royal Cornwall Rangers."

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the Tower Hamlets.

Arthur Denis Samuel de Vahl, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th May, 1874.

James H. Mapleson, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 19th May, 1874.

Treasury Chambers, June 1, 1874.

THE Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury hereby give notice, that the following employments in their Lordships' Department are withdrawn from Schedule A and added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870; viz.:—

The employment of Charwomen, Coal Porters, and all other persons hired at weekly wages to perform only menial or ordinary labour as it is required.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 5, 1874.

Downing Street, June 3, 1874.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Thomas Child Hayllar, Esq., to be one of Her Majesty's Counsel for the Colony of Hong Kong.

Downing Street, June 4, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Henry Ludlow, Esq., Barrister-at-Law, to be Attorney-General for the Island of Trinidad.

(S. & C. 1146.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, June 4, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of an Order of the Prefect of the Gironde authorizing the port officers at Bordeaux to permit masters of steamers arriving at that port to retain their signal powder and fireworks on board during their stay, on condition that the quantities are not more than necessary, and that they are securely packed.

(S. & C. 1147.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, June 4, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of

an Ordinance enacted by the Governor of Surinam revising the Tariff of Import and Export duties of that Colony. The Ordinance (a translation of which may be seen on application at the Statistical and Commercial Department, Board of Trade) will take effect on the 1st July next, and will remain in force until the 31st December, 1876.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 9, 1874.

Admiralty, 6th June, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Chief Engineer William H. Rundle has been placed on the Retired List from the 1st instant.

War Office, Pall Mall, 9th June, 1874.

- 1st Regiment of Life Guards, Sub-Lieutenant Derrick Warner William, Lord Rossmore, from the 9th Lancers, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant Henry Cairnes W., Lord Rossmore, deceased. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- 3rd Dragoon Guards, Captain George Romney Rawlinson to be Major, vice H. W. Berkeley, retired. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

- Lieutenant James Dennis, from the 5th Lancers, to be Captain, vice G. R. Rawlinson. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- 7th Dragoon Guards, Major James John Loudon M'Adam retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- 10th Hussars, Lieutenant Thomas Algernon Smith-Dorrien retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- 17th Lancers, Lieutenant Robert Nugent Humble retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- 21st Hussars, Quartermaster-Serjeant John Kelly, from the 3rd Dragoon Guards, to be Quartermaster, vice Henry Murray, deceased. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- Brigade Depôt, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel James Gubbins retires on half-pay. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- 4th Foot, Lieutenant Charles Albert Torriano to be Captain, vice Reginald Thoresby Gwyn, made Supernumerary on being appointed Adjutant 4th Norfolk Rifle Volunteer Corps. Dated 27th April, 1874.
- Lieutenant Henry Moore to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant J. R. Sharp, promoted. Dated 29th April, 1874.
- 7th Foot, Lieutenant Norman Pochin to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant W. Daly, promoted. Dated 14th December, 1873.
- 9th Foot, Lieutenant James Edward MacDonnell to be Captain, vice Edmund Kerrich, made Supernumerary on being appointed Adjutant,

- 3rd Administrative Battalion Suffolk Rifle Volunteers. Dated 4th May, 1874.
- 12th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Stewart Bolton retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- 13th Foot, Licutenant Frank Boyd Bradshaw to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant Henry Hallam Parr, who resigns that appointment. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- 14th Foot, Lieutenant Aubrey Lisle Patton to be Captain, vice J. Wilson, retired. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- Sub-Lieutenant Edward Hogarth Molesworth to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th February, 1873.
- 15th Foot, Lieutenant George Charles Daintry to be Captain, vice F. H. Garnett, retired. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 20th Foot, Captain Henry Francis G. Webster retires upon temporary half-pay. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- 21st Foot, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel William Pole Collingwood to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice F. T. Lyster, retired. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Captain and Brevet Major Arthur Grey Hazlerigg to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel W. P. Collingwood. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Captain Frederick George Jackson to be made Supernumerary on being appointed Adjutant 2nd Administrative Battalion Ayrshire Rifle Volunteers. Dated 11th May, 1874.

Lieutenant Frederick Packman to be Captain, vice Henry James Edgell, deceased. Dated

17th May, 1874.

Lieutenant Frederick William Burr to be Captain, vice Brevet Major A. G. Hazlerigg. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

- 22nd Foot, Major Henry Proctor retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- 24th Foot, Captain Charles Harrington Harris retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- 25th Foot, Captain Horace William Scriven retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- 36th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Wynne Pride retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- Serjeant-Major Martin Doherty to be Sub-Lieutenant. in succession to Lieutenant J. P. de la Poer Berestord, retired. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- 45th Foot, Lieutenant Walter Bridge retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- 46th Foot, Lieutenant Charles Edward de la Poer Beresford to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant G. W. T. Martin, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 21st January, 1874.
- 49th Foot, Captain and Brevet Major William Young to be Major, vice T. E. A. Hall, retired on half-pay. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- Lieutenant Charles Pilcher Temple to be Captain, vice Brevet Major W. Young. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 58th Foot, Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Children Whitehead to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel Charles Hood, retired on half-pay. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- Captain and Brevet Major William Dunn Bond to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel R. C. Whitehead. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

- Lieutenant Robert William Archibald to be Captain, vice Brevet Major W. D. Bond. Dated 23rd May, 1874.
- 60th Foot, Lieutenant Edward Thomas Henry Hutton, to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant H. D. Browne, promoted. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- Lieutenant Arthur George Addey Martin to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant E. T. H. Hutton, appointed Adjutant. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- 64th Foot, Lieutenant Edmund William Adderley to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant R. J. W. Dennistoun, promoted. Dated 1st May, 1874.
- 67th Foot, Lieutenant James Stocker Grant Smith to be Captain, vice George Masters Cardew, made Supernumerary on being appointed Adjutant Hampshire Militia. Dated 1st April, 1874.
- 69th Foot, Paymaster and Honorary Major David Francis Chambers retires upon temporary halfpay. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- 85th Foot, Major George Thompson retires upon full-pay. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- 90th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant William Hawley resigns his Commission. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- Rifle Brigade, Henry Pelham Burn, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice E. Prittie, resigned. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- Lieutenant Walter Rupert Kenyon-Slaney, to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant F. G. D. Acland, who has resigned that appointment. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- 1st West India Regiment, Major William Henry Penoyre FitzMorris Strachan to be Lieutenant-

Colonel, vice James Maxwell, C.B., deceased,

Dated 15th April, 1874.

Juxon Henry Jones, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant J. Roper, deceased. Dated 10th June, 1874.

2nd West India Regiment, Arnold Edgar Cuthbertson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice Douglas Minto Allen, whose appointment has been cancelled. Dated 10th June, 1874.

Lieutenant Clavell Freeland Filliter to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant C. H. Warner, deceased.

Dated 10th June, 1874.

Veterinary Department, Samuel Gillespie, Gent., to be Veterinary-Surgeon on probation, vice O. T. Sloeoek, who has resigned his appointment. Dated 10th June, 1874.

William Gladstone, Gent., to be Veterinary-Surgeon on probation, vice J. P. Adams, promoted in the Royal Artillery. Dated 10th June,

1874.

Half-pay, Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Pelling Pigott, from half-pay, Unattached, and Staff Officer of Pensioners, to be Major. Dated 1st April, 1874.

BREVET.

Major George Thompson, 85th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, upon retiring on full pay. Dated 10th June, 1874.

Lieutenant William Frederick McIlwaine, retired, Royal Marine Light Infantry, to have the honorary rank of Captain. Dated 10th June, 1874.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on the 15th May, 1874, of

General George Dixon, Colonel of the 104th

Lieutenant-General George Alexander Malcolm, C.B., Colonel of the 105th Foot, to be General. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Major-General James Webber Smith, C.B., to be Lieutenant-General. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Brevet Colonel John Simpson, C.B., from Lieutenant-Colonel, half-pay, late 34th Foot, to be Major-General, dated 6th March, 1868, such antedate not to carry back-pay prior to the 16th May, 1874.

Major Charles Van Notten Pole, half-pay, late Cape Mounted Riflemen, to be Lieutenant-

Colonel. Dated 16th May, 1874.

Captain William Henry Surman, 7th Foot, to be Major. Dated 16th May, 1874.

The undermentioned Officers having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonels:—

Lieutenant-Colonel William George Mainwaring, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 1st March, 1874. Lieutenant-Colonel Robert Henry Bolton, Madras

Staff Corps. Dated 2nd March, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Frederick Hardy, 84th Foot. Dated 5th May, 1874.

The undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces to have a step of honorary rank on retirement:—

To be Colonels.

Lieutenant-Colonel John Richard Gason Magrath, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 10th June, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Percy Augustus Elphinstone, Bombay Staff Corps. Dated 10th June, 1874.

To be Major.

Captain Thomas Oliver, Bombay Infantry. Dated 10th June, 1874.

To be Deputy Surgeon-General.

Surgeon - Major Frederick Lewis Clementson, Madras Army. Dated 10th June, 1874.

MEMORANDA.

Quartermaster and Honorary Captain George Pittendrigh, half-pay, late 3rd Foot, has been permitted to commute his retired allowance. Dated 11th May, 1874.

The undermentioned Officers retire from the Service receiving the value of their Commissions:—

Captain John Edward Crossman Doveton, halfpay, late 52nd Foot. Dated 15th May, 1874.

Lieutenant Samuel Masters Davies, half-pay, late Military Train. Dated 15th May, 1874.

Lieutenant William Fraser, half-pay, late 63rd Foot. Dated 15th May, 1874.

India Office, 8th June, 1874.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following Admissions to the Staff Corps made by the Governments in India:—

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant George Williams Deane, 106th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant John Clibborn, 62nd Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenants.

Lieutenant Edmund Balfe, 49th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

Lieutenant Francis Stevenson, 105th Regiment. Dated 28th October, 1871.

War Office, 9th June, 1874. MILITIA.

Royal Brecon.

- Captain David Edward Jones is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- Lieutenant Walter Powell Jeffreys to be Captain. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- Lieutenant James Augustus Francis Snead to be Captain. Dated 10th June, 1874.

Royal Bucks.

George Alfred Sainte Croix Rose, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 10th June, 1874.

Royal Carnarvon.

- Captain James Martin Clayton, 23rd Foot, to be Adjutant. Dated 1st June, 1874.
- Adjutant James Martin Clayton to serve with the rank of Captain. Dated 1st June, 1874.

Cornwall Rangers.

Assistant-Surgeon Samuel Mason resigns his Commission. Dated 10th June, 1874.

Royal Cumberland.

Sub-Lieutenant Ralph Brounfield Willington Fisher resigns his Commission. Dated 10th June, 1874.

Royal Glamorgan Artillery.

Captain Lewis Thomas Lewis resigns his Commission. Dated 10th June, 1874.

1st Royal Lancashire:

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Luke Henry Hansard to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Whitle, resigned. Dated 10th June, 1874. Lieutenant-Colonel Luke Henry Hansard resigns his Commission, also is granted the honorary rank of Colonel, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 10th June, 1874.

2nd Middlesex or Edmonton Royal Rifle Regiment.

Charles Joseph Roper Scudamore, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 25th May, 1874.

Norfolk Artillery.

For Captain and Adjutant Maitland Moore Lane, from the Northumberland Artillery Militia, to be Adjutant, vice Gilbertson, placed on a retired allowance, dated 1st April, 1874, notified in the Gazette of 14th April, 1874,

Read, Captain and Adjutant Maitland Moore-Lane, from the Northumberland Artillery Militia, to be Adjutant, vice Gilbertson, placed on a retired allowance. Dated 1st April, 1874.

Northampton and Rutland.

Captain and Honorary Major William Christie resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 10th June, 1874.

Oxford.

The resignation of the Commission held by Surgeon John Briscoe, notified in Gazette of 15th May, 1874, is cancelled. Dated 10th June, 1874.

Shropshire.

The resignation of Major Godfrey Russell, and the promotion of Captain Joseph Venables Lovett to be Major, vice Russell resigned, dated 6th May, 1874, notified in the Gazette of 5th May, 1874, to bear date 13th April, 1874.

The promotion of Lieutenant Algernon George Bernard Whitmore to be Captain, vice Lovett, promoted, dated 16th May, 1874, notified in the Gazette of 15th May, 1874, to bear date 13th April, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant George Ralph Charles Ormsby Gore resigns his Commission. Dated 10th

June, 1874.

Royal Westmoreland.

Sub-Lieutenant Frederick John Jackson Foakes resigns his Commission. Dated 10th June, 1874.

Worcester.

Lieutenant-Colonel Commandant Thomas Coningsbury Norbury Norbury is granted the honorary rank of Colonel. Dated 10th June, 1874.

3rd West York.

William Noble Bennett, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 29th May, 1874.

Assistant-Surgeon Charles Henry Lister resigns his Commission. Dated 10th June, 1874.

The Royal Aberdeenshire Highlanders.

Captain James Browne, half-pay, late 65th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 11th March, 1874.

Forfar and Kincardine Artillery.

Lieutenant David Crawford Lindsay to be Captain. Dated 10th June, 1874.

Highland Borderers Light Infantry.

Captain and Honorary Major Edwin Grogan resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 10th June, 1874.

Captain Duncan Campbell, half-pay, late 89th Fcot, to be Captain. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

Royal Cork City Artillery.

Lieutenant Charles Purdon Coote resigns his Commission. Dated 10th June, 1874.

George Norman Roberts, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 10th June, 1874.

Donegal Artillery.

Captain Mervyn Trevor Vesey is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 10th June, 1874.

Royal South Down.

Arthur Nugent, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st June, 1874.

Kerry.

Robert John La Touche Fitzgerald, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st June, 1874.

Richard Elliott Palmer, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st June, 1874.

Queen's County.

Captain Walter Joseph Borrowes is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 10th June, 1874.

Roscommon.

John Benjamin Burke, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 10th June, 1874.

Waterford Artillery.

Assistant-Surgeon John Joseph Redmond resigns his Commission. Dated 10th June, 1874.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Denbighshire.

Major the Honourable William Edward Fitz-Maurice to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Totten-

ham, resigned. Dated 1st June, 1874.

Lieutenant - Colonel the Honourable William Edward FitzMaurice resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of his Regiment on his retirement. Dated 1st June, 1874.

Major Tom Naylor Leyland to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice FitzMaurice, who resigns. Dated

1st June, 1874.

Captain Conwy George Hercules Rowley Conwy to be Major, vice Leyland, promoted. Dated 1st June, 1874.

Lieutenant Charles Salusbury Mainwaring to be-Captain, vice Conwy, promoted. Dated 1st June, 1874.

Northumberland and Newcastle.

Lieutenant John Coppin Straker to be Captain, vice Fenwick, resigned. Dated 10th June, 1874.

Pembroke.

Lieutenant Owen H. P. Scourfield to be Captain. Dated 10th June, 1874.

Worcestershire.

George Higginson Allsopp, Gent., to be Sub-Licutenant. Dated 10th June, 1874.

Treasury Chambers, June 8, 1874.

THE Secretary of State, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury sives notice, that the following situ-

ations are withdrawn from Schedule A of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870; viz.:-

The situations of Warder, Matron, and other subordinate Servants in Prisons, Lunatic Asylums, and Hospitals.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 12, 1874.

St. James's Palace, June 10, 1874.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Captain Charles Edmund Phipps to be one of the Gentlemen Ushers Daily Waiters in Ordinary to Her Majesty, in the room of Sir William Martins, deceased.

Whitehall, June 11, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint the Most Noble Richard Plantagenet Campbell, Duke of Buckingham and Chandos; the Right Honourable John Campbell, Earl of Aberdeen; the Right Honourable Reginald Windsor, Earl De La Warr; the Right Honourable Somerset Richard, Earl of Belmore, K.C.M.G.; the Right Honourable Sir William Robert Seymour Vesey FitzGerald, G.C.S.I.; the Right Honourable Acton Smee Ayrton; Lieutenant-General Sir John Lintorn Arabin Simmons, K.C.B.; Thomas Elliott Harrison, Esq., President of the Institution of Civil

Engineers; and William Galt, Esq.; to be Her Majesty's Commissioners to enquire into the Causes of Accidents on Railways, and into the possibility of removing any such Causes by further legislation.

Whitehall, June 11, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to present the Reverend Lachlan McLachlan to the charge and office of Third Minister of the United Parishes of Inverness and Bona, in the presbytery and county of Inverness, vacant by the translation of the Reverend Peter Robertson to the parish of Kilmorack.

Crown Office, June 12, 1874.

MEMBER returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

Town of Haverfordwest.

William Edwardes, Baron Kensington, the former election for the said Town having been determined to be void.

Whitehall, May 8, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to grant unto William Frederick Barton Massey (commonly called the Honourable William Frederick Barton Massey), of the Old Palace, in the parish of Richmond, and county of Surrey, Esq., and to Isabella Anne, his wife, the only surviving child and heir of Charles Benjamin Lee Mainwaring (formerly Charles Benjamin Lee), late of the Old Palace aforesaid, and of Staindrop, in the county palatine of Durham, Esq., deceased, and formerly the wife of Egerton Charles William Miles Milman, Esq., a Major-General in the Army, also

deceased, Her Royal licence and authority that they and their issue may take and henceforth use the surname of Mainwaring in addition to and after that of Massey. That the said William Frederick Barton Massey and his issue by the said Isabella Ann Massey may bear the arms of Mainwaring quartered with those of Massey, and that the surname of Mainwaring in addition to and after that of Milman, and the arms of Mainwaring quartered with those of Milman may be borne by the issue of the said Isabella Ann Massey, by her late husband, the said Egerton Charles William Miles Milman; such arms being first duly exemplified according to the laws of arms, and recorded in the College of Arms, otherwise the said Royal licence and permission to be void and of none effect:

And to command that the said Royal concession and declaration be recorded in Her Majesty's said College of Arms.

(H. 3889.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, June 11, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Notice which appeared in the Madrid Official Gazette of the 31st ultimo, stating the places vessels arriving from which are subject to quarantine in Spain.

A translation of the Notice is appended: -(Translation).

Ministry of the Interior.

Direction-General of Public Charities, Health, and Penal Establishments.

In consequence of various enquiries which have been addressed to this office as to the foreign countries declared infected or subject to quarantine of observation, I beg to inform you that vessels from the following places are now subject to quarantine in our ports, by the Orders quoted below:—

Foul Quarantine.

Germany.

The River Elbe (except Hamburgh, declared clean by Order of 2nd December, 1873). Order of 3rd October, 1873.

From Königsberg up to the Russian Coast. Orders of the 17th and 20th September, 1873.

Stettin. Order of 2nd October, 1873.

Austria.

All ports (except Trieste, declared clean by Order of 19th January, 1874). Orders of 17th and 20th September, 1873.

Brazil.

Pernambuco. Order of 27th January, 1874. Rio Janeiro. Order of 16th January, 1874.

Pará. Orders of 18th August and 20th September, 1873.

Bahia. Orders of 9th May and 4th June, 1873.

Guinea.

Ports included between Cape Palmas and the Gulf of Benin, inclusive. Order of 16th January, 1874.

Oceania.

Island of Java. Order of 16th January, 1874.

Russia.

From the confines of the Prussian Coast as far as Livan. Orders of 17th and 20th September, 1873.

Cronstadt. Order of 16th January, 1874.

Siam.

Bankok. Orders of 4th and 20th September, 1873.

Quarantine of Observation.

Argentine Republic.

All ports (except Buenos Ayres, declared clean by Order of 7th May, 1874). Order of 27th January, 1874.

Brazil.

Mareio. Orders of 9th May and 4th June, 1873.

The Netherlands.

Rotterdam. Order of 3rd February, 1874.

Republic of Uruguay.

All ports. Orders of 5th and 11th February, 1874.

I remind your Excellency of this for the information of the Directions of Maritime Health in your province, and I again request you to fulfil most strictly the Sanitary Orders at this season of the year.

God, &c.,

Madrid, 29th May, 1874.

(Signed) P. M. DE ACUNA,
Director-General.

To the Governor of the Maritime Province of

Admiralty, 9th June, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 5th February, 1872—

Sub-Lieutenant Wilhelm J. A. E. Banister has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Admiralty, 11th June, 1874.

The seniority of Lieutenant Robert W. Gore should have been the 31st March, 1874, and not the 4th April, as notified in the London Gazette of the 17th April, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, and 3rd March, 1873—

Paymaster James Singleton Hooper has this day been placed on the Retired List.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, the undermentioned Officer has been placed on the Retired List, from the 5th instant:—

Chief Inspector of Machinery Afloat George

G. Bardin, C.B.

War Office, Pall Mall, 12th June, 1874.

71st Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant - General the Honourable George Cadogan, C.B., from Colonel of the 106th Foot, to be Colonel, in succession to Lieutenant-General Robert Law, K.H., deceased. Dated 17th May, 1874.

89th Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General Lord Henry Hugh Manvers Percy, V.C., K.C.B., to be Colonel, in succession to Major-General Caledon Richard Egerton, deceased. Dated 28th May, 1874.

104th Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General Sir Frederick Paul Haines, K.C.B., to be Colonel, in succession to General George Dixon, deceased. Dated 16th May, 1874.

106th Regiment of Foot.

Lieutenant-General William O'Grady Haly, C.B., to be Colonel, in succession to Lieutenant-General the Honourable George Cadogan, C.B.,

- appointed to the 71st Foot. Dated 17th May, 1874.
- 9th Lancers, George Alfred Penrhys Evans, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice D. W. W., Lord Rossmore, transferred to the 1st Life Guards. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 10th Hussars, John Palmer Brabazon, Gent., to be Lieutenant, vice the Honourable H. J. L. Wood, promoted in the 12th Lancers. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- Lieutenant William Edward Ker Fox, from the 21st Hussars, to be Lieutenant, vice T. A. Smith-Dorrien, retired. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- Edward Temple Rose, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant the Honourable H. G. L. Crichton, promoted. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 14th Hussars, Lieutenant Arthur Abney Sandys, from the East York Militia, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant B. S. C. Loftus-Tottenham, transferred to the 106th Foot. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 15th Hussars, Lieutenant John Harrison, from the Royal North Down Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice W. White, promoted. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 17th Lancers, Lieutenant Herbert Charles Jenkins, from the 2nd Royal Surrey Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice R. N. Humble, retired. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- Coldstream Guards, Lieutenant and Captain Alexander William Maxwell Clark Kennedy retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigncy and Lieutenancy. Dated 13th June, 1874.

- 1st Foot, Lieutenant William Mounliford Longfield, from the West Cork Artillery Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice T. L. Thorp, retired. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 2nd Foot, Clifton Frederick Samuel Alban, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant J. S. Tupper, promoted. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 3rd Foot, Hudson Henry Ozzard, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant A. de V. Alexander, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- Bryan Francis Holme, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant Richard Compton Maul, deceased. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- George Herbert Chippindall, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant G. R. Taylor, promoted. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 5th Foot, George Atkins Collins, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant D. G. Beamish, promoted. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 15th Foot, Francis Seymour Inglefield, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant E. J. Singleton, promoted. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 16th Foot, Major Robert Broome Baker retires upon half-pay. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 18th Foot, Captain Michael Clarke, from half-pay, late Recruiting District, to be Paymaster. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 19th Foot, Frederic Barff Briggs, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant G. Hawkes, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 13th June, 1874.

- William Edmund Franklyn, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant C. Skinner, promoted. Dated 13th June, 1874. 20th Foot, Captain Henry Francis Somerset
- 20th Foot, Captain Henry Francis Somerset Bolton, from half-pay, late 1st West India Regiment, to be Captain, vice J. Aldridge, retired on half-pay. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 21st Foot, Lieutenant Herbert Rowan Alexander, from the Highland Borderers Light Infantry Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice F. Packman, promoted. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 23rd Foot, Lieutenant Charles Cecil Hayford Thorold, from the 5th Royal Lancashire Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice A. Y. Leslie, promoted. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 25th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Edward Baker, from the Hertford Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice A. H. Turner, promoted. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 27th Foot, Captain Charles Sumner Pinwill retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 28th Foot, Lieutenant the Honourable John George Barry Bingham, from the South Mayo Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice F. C. Annesley, retired. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 30th Foot, Quartermaster-Serjeant Alexander Borland to be Quartermaster, vice J. Robinson, removed from the Army. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 31st Foot, Captain James Frederick Bevan retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 36th Foot, Lieutenant the Honourable Mark Henry Horace McDonnell, from the Londonderry Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice T. M. Maxwell, promoted. Dated 13th June, 1874.

45th Foot, Lieutenant Charles Herbert, from the Essex Rifles Militia, to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice G. E. Walter, transferred to the 66th Foot. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Lumley Scobell Peyton, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant W. Bridge,

retired. Dated 13th June, 1874.

- 46th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Parry Carden, from the Queen's County Militia to be Lieutenant, vice J. M. Low, promoted. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 51st Foot, Alexander Gore Breffney Ternan, Gent. (India Cadet), to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant G. H. Denshire, promoted. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 67th Foot, Ernest Edward MacMahon, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant J. S. G. Smith, promoted. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 74th Foot, Lieutenant Count Richard Bethell Parkyns Warmingham Metaxa, from the 2nd Royal Tower Hamlets Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice H. J. Fergusson, transferred to the Rifle Brigade. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 81st Foot, Ralph Thomas Denne, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant T. H. B. Forster, transferred to the 93rd Foot. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 89th Foot, Captain Richard Oliffe Richmond, from half-pay, late 50th Foot, to be Captain, vice D. Campbell, retired on half-pay. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 91st Foot, Lieutenant Donald George Mackay Fowler, from the Highland Rifle Militia, to be Lieutenant, vice C. A. H. Bishop-Culpeper, retired. Dated 13th June, 1874.

- 101st Foot, Lieutenant Fairlie Russell Martin is superseded for absence without leave. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- 106th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Mapleton Compigné to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant E. R. Coker, appointed Adjutant. Dated 21st May, 1874.
- 108th Foot, Richard Menteith Greenfield, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant J. W. Wray, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Turner Severin Macleay Woolley, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, vice H. J. B. Sparks, resigned. Dated 13th June, 1874.

William Charles Aslett, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant W. J. Orr, appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Alfred William Lambart Bayly, Gent., Queen's Cadet, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 13th June,

1874.

1st West India Regiment, Captain A. M. Wellington Samson to be Major, vice W. H. P. F. Strachan, promoted. Dated 15th April, 1874.

Lieutenant Henry George Wilson to be Captain, vice A. M. W. Samson. Dated 15th April, 1874.

UNATTACHED LIST.

The undermentioned Gentlemen to be Sub-Lieutenants:--

Charles Frederick St. Clair Anstruther Thomson. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Maurice George Moore. Dated 13th June, 1874. David Stanley William, Lord Ogilvy. Dated 13th June, 1874. John Anstey Bennett. Dated 13th June, 1874. Charles Henry Gostling. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Charles Evans-Gordon. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Archibald Hunter. Dated 13th June, 1874. Thomas De la Rue. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Lieutenant George Stuart Nicholson, from Hants Infantry Militia. Dated 13th June, 1874.

John Alexander Duntze. Dated 13th June,

1874.

George Nisbet Mayne. Dated 13th June, 1874. John Moore Gawne. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Charles Maitland Pelham Burn. Dated 13th June. 1874.

Percy Schletter. Dated 13th June, 1874.

William Henry Jameson. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Cecil Francis William Fane. Dated 13th June, . 1874.

John Bird McDonell. Dated 13th June, 1874. William Aldworth. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Arthur Adey. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Alexander Fownes Luttrell. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Henry Calthorpe Somerset. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant George Ralph Charles Ormsby Gore, from the Shropshire Militia. Dated 13th June, 1874.

John Harold Erskine Parker. Dated 13th June. 1874.

John Archibald Henry Pollock. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Charles Edward Drummond Telfer. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Richard Hobart Morrison. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Richard Godfrey Jones. Dated 13th June, 1874. 1874. 2 X

William Keane Richardson. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Henry Bourchier Fowler. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Francis Robert Whitmore Stainforth. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Robert FitzGerald Creighton. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Charles Gordon Creyk. Dated 13th June, 1874.

The Honourable Hugh Rudolph Arbuthnot Gough. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Alfred John Chamberlin Wrench. Dated 13th

June, 1874.

George Henry Hayhurst Hayhurst. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Henry Davis Willock. Dated 13th June, 1874. Lieutenant Stanley Orred, from the 3rd Staffordshire Militia. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Thomas Preston Walsh, India Cadet. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Henry George Way. Dated 13th June, 1874. John Hamilton Verschoyle. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Arthur Wildman Prior. Dated 13th June, 1874. Charles Bradford Harries Jenkins. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Henry Robert Day. Dated 13th June, 1874. Charles Wallace Warden. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant George Ewbank Briggs, from the Hampshire Militia. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Philip Beaumont Gruneisen Coulton. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Francis Spencer Thornton. Dated 13th June, 1874.

George Markham Davison. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Aubrey Francis White. Dated 13th June, 1874. Lieutenant Joseph Henry Greer, from the Tyrone Artillery Militia. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Alexander Gordon Russell. Dated 13th June,

1874.

Raymond Burlton Williams. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Charles Grant Mansell Fasken. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Horace Robert Stopford. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Horace Amyatt Amyatt-Burney. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Lionel Grafton Beckham. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Edward Stokes Evans. Dated 13th June, 1874. Richard Eyre Goold-Adams. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Spencer Frederick Chichester. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Henry Charles Savage from the 6th Lancashire Militia. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Hugh Farquhar Jardine Campbell. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Hugh Frederick Lyons-Montgomery. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Gilbert Redvers Heathcote. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Samuel Holt Lomax. Dated 13th June, 1874. John Frederick Charles Thatcher. Dated 13th

June, 1874.

Henry Allan Balfour Boulderson, India Cadet. Dated 13th June, 1874.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon Matthew Joseph Ryan, from half-pay, to be Surgeon, vice Edward Joseph Clarke, deceased. Dated 13th June, 1874.

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Army Hospital Corps, Serjeant-Major William Joseph to be Lieutenant of Orderlies, vice John Francis Dillon, deceased. Dated 13th June, 1874.

HALF-PAY.

Major and Brevet-Colonel Francis Edward Drewe, from half-pay, late Depôt Battalion, Deputy Adjutant-General, Ceylon, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 17th March, 1874.

Lieutenant Richard Oliffe Richmond, from the 50th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 1st April,

1874.

Lieutenant Henry Francis Somerset Bolton, from the 1st West India Regiment, to be Captain. Dated 1st April, 1874.

BREVET.

Lieutenant-Colonel Henry Beville, C.B., Bombay Staff Corps, having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonel. Dated 15th February, 1874.

Paymaster and Honorary Captain Roger Sheehy, 74th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 13th May, 1874.

War Office, 12th June, 1874.

MILITIA.

Royal Bucks.

The promotion of Lieutenant Henry Compton Maul to be Captain, vice Clayton, resigned (dated the 23rd May, 1874, notified in the Gazette of the 22nd May, 1874), to bear date the 6th May, 1874.

1st Devon.

Captain and Honorary Major Thomas Dimond

Hogg resigns his Commission. Dated 13th

June, 1874.

Lieutenant Edmund Reginald Talbot de la Pole resigns his Commission. Dated 13th June, 1874.

2nd, or South Devon.

Lieutenant Stanley Oswald Becher resigns his Commission. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Dorset.

Ronald James Farquharson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 13th June, 1874.

1st Durham.

Captain John Augustus Metcalfe, from the Royal Monmouth Militia, to be Captain. Dated 1st June, 1874.

2nd, or North Durham.

Lieutenant - Colonel Augustus Samuel Bolton resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Royal North Gloucester.

The Honourable Edgar Berkeley Gifford to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Hampshire Artillery.

Captain Cecil Thomas Beeching resigns his Commission. Dated 13th June, 1874.

West Kent.

John Croft Moore, late Captain Rifle Brigade, to be Captain. Dated 13th June, 1874.

1st Royal Lancashire.

John Wood Yates, late Lieutenant 1st Royal Lancashire Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Royal London.

Assistant-Surgeon William Thomas Lewis resigns his Commission. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Royal East Middlesex.

Lieutenant Eugene Digby Woodcock resigns his Commission. Dated 13th June, 1874.

3rd Middlesex or Royal Westminster.

Lieutenant Robert Frederick Piper to be Captain. Dated 13th June, 1874.

4th or Royal South Middlesex.

Samuel Handy Halahan, late Lieutenant 44th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 1st June, 1874.

Royal Monmouth.

Lieutenant Francis Baynham Vaughan to be Captain, vice Metcalfe, transferred to the 1st Durham Militia. Dated 1st June, 1874.

Durham Militia. Dated 1st June, 1874. William Frederick Holt Beever, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st June, 1874.

Northampton and Rutland.

Francis Charles Trollope, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 13th June, 1874.

Northumberland.

Captain Henry Powlet Shafto Orde resigns his Commission. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Northumberland Artillery.

John George Adamson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieu-

tenant (Supernumerary). Dated 13th June, 1874.

2nd Warwick.

Captain and Honorary Major Henry Howkins resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank, and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Captain Edward Charles Windsor resigns his

Commission. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Worcester.

Major and Honorary Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Sidney Hawkins to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Captain and Honorary Major William Parker Howell to be Major. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Captain Richard Prescott Decie to be Major. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Lieutenant Herbert W. Domvile to be Captain. Dated 13th June, 1874.

4th West York.

Captain Henry Irwin is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 13th June, 1874.

6th West York.

Major Frederick Joliffe Bayly to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Stansfeld, resigned. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Haddington, Berwick, Linlithgow, and Peebles
Artillery.

Captain Frederick Lewis Roy resigns his Commission. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Highland Borderers.

Colin John Campbell, late Lieutenant 2nd Dra-

goons, to be Captain. Dated 13th June, 1874.

The Highland Light Infantry.

Surgeon James Edward resigns his Commission. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Scottish Borderers.

Major Colvin Stewart resigns his Commission, also is permitted to retain his rank and to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 30th May, 1874.

Captain James Hatherell to be Major, vice Stewart,

who resigns. Dated 1st June, 1874.

Antrim.

Lieutenant Lorenzo Alexander resigns his Commission. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Antrim Artillery.

Lieutenant William John Johnston Kirkpatrick, from the Royal North Down Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Donegal.

Captain Daniel Baird Maturin Baird resigns his Commission. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Commission. Dated 13th June, 1874. Curran Obins Woodhouse, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 13th June, 1874.

Fermanagh.

Cavendish Walter Gartside-Tipping, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 13th June, 1874.

Kildare.

Lieutenant Gerald FitzGerald, Earl of Offaly, to be Captain. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Lieutenant Robert Fleetwood Rynd to be Captain. Dated 13th June, 1874.

King's County.

John Theophilus Blakeney, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Leitrim.

William O'Connor, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. (Supernumerary). Dated 13th June, 1874.

South Mayo.

- Sub-Lieutenant Maurice George Henry Moore resigns his Commission. Dated 13th June, 1874.
- The Honourable Bentinck Yelverton Bingham to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 13th June, 1874.

Sligo.

Lieutenant Thomas Little Robinson resigns his Commission. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Westmeath.

Lieutenant Brooke Southwell Greville resigns his Commission. Dated 13th June, 1874.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Denbighshire.

Arthur Mesham, late Captain 1st Royal Dragoons, to be Captain. Dated 4th June, 1874.

East Lothian.

Major Sir Robert Charles Sinclair, Bart., resigns his Commission. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Middlesex.

The services of Lieutenant Francis Burrell Massingberd are dispensed with. Dated 13th June, 1874.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Hertford.

Horace James Smith-Bosanquet, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 21st May, 1874.

FROM THE

LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 16, 1874.

Lord Chamberlain's Office, St. James's Palace, June 15, 1874.

NOTICE is hereby given, that the State Apartments of Windsor Castle will be closed on and after Saturday next, the 20th instant, until further orders.

Foreign Office, May 4, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Thomas Wood, Esq., now British Vice-Consul at Patras, to be Her Majesty's Consul in the Morea, to reside at Patras.

Foreign Office, May 29, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint John George Taylor, Esq., now Her Majesty's Consul for Koordistan, to be Her Majesty's Consul at Ragusa.

Foreign Office, June 12, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of

Mr. Robert Barclay Read as Consul at Singapore for His Majesty the King of Sweden and Norway.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. Edward Reeve as Consul-General for the British Colonies of New South Wales, Victoria, Tasmania, Queensland, Western Australia, and their dependencies, and all other Colonies or Settlements which may be formed by division of or in any connection with the said British Colonies, for the King of the Hawaiian Islands.

Crown Office, June 15, 1874.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

City of Durham.

Farrer Herschell, Esq., one of Her Majesty's Counsel, and

Sir Arthur Edward Monck, Bart., the former election for the said city having been determined to be void.

Wigton District of Burghs.

Mark John Stewart, of Ardwell, Esq., in the place of George Young, Esq., who has accepted the office of one of the Judges of the Court of Session in Scotland.

(H. 3966.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, June 15, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Vice-Consul at Boulogne, stating that by an Order of the French Minister of Agriculture and Commerce, vessels arriving from England are rendered admissible to free pratique.

Admiralty, 10th June, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870-

Navigating Lieutenant William George Atkinson has been placed on the Retired List from the 9th instant.

War Office, Pall Mall, 16th June, 1874.

Royal Regiment of Artillery, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Michael Anthony Shrapnel Biddulph, C.B., to be Colonel, vice A. C. Pigou, who retires upon full-pay. Dated 17th June, 1874.

Major Robert Horsley Rickets Rowley to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel Biddulph,

promoted. Dated 17th June, 1874.

Captain and Brevet Major Bowes Lennox Forster, from the Supernumerary List, to be Major, vice Rowley, promoted. Dated 17th June, 1874. Captain Eugene Hay Cameron, from temporary

half-pay, to be Captain, vice E. T. Warry,

deceased. Dated 17th June, 1874.

Lieutenant Francis Onslow Barrington Foote is placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 17th June, 1874.

Royal Engineers, Major William Adolphus Baker, (late Bombay) to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice J. G. T. Griffiths, deceased. Dated 4th April, 1874.

Captain Charles Mant (late Bombay) to be Major, vice W. A. Baker. Dated 4th April, 1874.

Captain John Knox Tisdall, from half-pay, to be Captain, vice S. V. Smith, deceased. Dated 27th May, 1874.

Lieutenant Andrew Wilson Baird to be Captain,

vice C. Mant. Dated 4th April, 1874.

Lieutenant Montagu Frederick Ommanney, from the Supernumerary List, to be Lieutenant, vice Thomas Fraser, placed upon the Supernumerary List. Dated 30th March, 1874.

The temporary Commission of Lieutenant John Henry Fox is made permanent. Dated 15th

December, 1871.

BREVET.

Colonel Arthur Comyn Pigou, Royal Artillery, to have the honorary rank of Major-General upon retiring on full-pay. Dated 17th June, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Scott Moberly, Royal (late Madras) Engineers, having completed the qualifying service in the rank of Lieutenant-Colonel, to be Colonel. Dated 12th May, 1874.

Captain Reginald William Sartorius, of the Cadre of the late 72nd Bengal Native Infantry, and 1st Squadron Subaltern 6th Bengal Cavalry, to be Major. Dated 1st April, 1874.

The following promotions to take place consequent on the death, on the 9th May, 1874, of Lieutenant-General Sir Archdale Wilson, Bart., G.C.B., Royal (late Bengal) Artillery:—

Major John Octavius Chichester, 39th Foot, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 10th May, 1874. Captain William Barclay Gordon Cleather, 47th

Foot, to be Major. Dated 10th May, 1874.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Dorset.

The Honourable Antony Cecil Ashley to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 5th June, 1874.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Monmouth.

The Right Honourable Henry Adelbert Wellington FitzRoy Somerset (commonly called Marquess of Worcester) to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 29th May, 1874.

The Right Honourable Henry Richard Charles Somerset, M.P. (commonly called Lord Henry Somerset), to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated

29th May, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable Frederic Courtenay Morgan, M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 29th May, 1874.

Thomas Cordes, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieu-

tenant. Dated 29th May, 1874.

Crawshay Bailey, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 29th May, 1874.

Tom Llewelyn Brewer, Esq., to be Deputy Lieu-

tenant. Dated 29th May, 1874.

Thomas Gratrex, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 29th May, 1874.

Lorenzo Augustus Homfray, Esq., to be Deputy

Lieutenant. Dated 29th May, 1874.

John Lawrence, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 29th May, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas Wickham to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 29th May, 1874.

James Charles Hill, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 9th June, 1874.

Crown Office, June 16, 1874.

Days and Places appointed for holding the Summer Assizes, 1874.

CIRCUIT of the PRINCIPALITY of WALES and COUNTY PALATINE of CHESTER.

The Right Honourable the Lord Chief Justice of England.

Mr. Justice Quain.

NORTH WALES.

Montgomeryshire, Friday, July 17, at Newtown.
Merionethshire, Monday, July 20, at Dolgelly.
Carnarvonshire, Thursday, July 23, at Carnarvon.
Anglesey, Monday, July 27, at Beaumaris.
Denbighshire, Thursday, July 30, at Ruthin.
Flintshire, Saturday, August 1, at Mold.
Cheshire, Wednesday, August 5, at Chester Castle.

SOUTH WALES.

Pembrokeshire, Saturday, July 4, at Haverfordwest.

Town and County of Haverfordwest, the same day, at the Town of Haverfordwest.

Cardiganshire, Wednesday, July 8, at Cardigan. Carmarthenshire, Saturday, July 11, at Carmarthen.

County of the Borough of Carmarthen, the same day, at the Borough of Carmarthen.

Glamorganshire, Wednesday, July 15, at Cardiff. Brecknockshire, Thursday, July 30, at Brecon.

Radnorshire, Monday, August 3, at Presteign.

WESTERN CIRCUIT.

The Right Honourable the Lord Chief Justice of the Common Pleas.

Mr. Justice Brett.

County of Southampton, Thursday, July 9, at the Castle of Winchester.

Wiltshire, Thursday, July 16, at New Sarum. Dorsetshire, Monday, July 20, at Dorchester. Devonshire, Thursday, July 23, at the Castle of

Exeter.

City of Exeter, the same day, at the Guildhall of the said City.

Cornwall, Thursday, July 30, at Bodmin.

Somersetshire, Tuesday, August 4, at Wells.

City of Bristol, Saturday, August 8, at the Guildhall of the said City.

NORFOLK CIRCUIT.

The Right Honourable the Lord Chief Baron. Mr. Justice Keating.

Rutlandshire, Wednesday, July 8, at Oakham. Leicestershire, Thursday, July 9, at the Castle of Leicester.

Borough of Leicester, the same day, at the Guildhall.

Northamptonshire, Monday, July 13, at Northampton.

Buckinghamshire, Thursday, July 16, at Aylesbury.

Bedfordshire, Monday, July 20, at Bedford.

Huntingdonshire, Thursday, July 23, at Huntingdon.

Cambridgeshire, Saturday, July 25, at the County Courts.

Suffolk, Wednesday, July 29, at Bury St. Edmunds.

Norfolk, Saturday, August 1, at the Castle of Norwich.

City of Norwich, the same day, at the Guildhall of the said City.

HOME CIRCUIT.

Mr. Baron Bramwell. Mr. Baron Cleasby.

Hertfordshire, Wednesday, July 8, at Hertford. Essex, Monday, July 13, at Chelmsford. Sussex, Thursday, July 16, at Lewes. Kent, Monday, July 20, at Maidstone. Surrey, Monday, July 27, at Guildford.

OXFORD CIRCUIT.

Mr. Baron Pigott. Mr. Justice Lush.

Berkshire, Wednesday, July 8, at Reading.
Oxfordshire, Saturday, July 11, at Oxford.
Worcestershire, Wednesday, July 15, at Worcester.

City of Worcester, the same day, at the City of Worcester.

Staffordshire, Monday, July 20, at Stafford.
Salop, Tuesday, July 28, at Shrewsbury.
Herefordshire, Friday, July 31, at Hereford.
Monmouthshire, Tuesday, August 4, at Monmouth.
Gloucestershire, Saturday, August 8, at Gloucester.

City of Gloucester, the same day, at the City of Gloucester.

MIDLAND CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Denman. Mr. Baron Amphlett.

Warwickshire, Monday, July 6, at Warwick. Derbyshire, Monday, July 13, at Derby. Nottinghamshire, Friday, July 17, at Nottingham.

Town of Nottingham, the same day, at the Town of Nottingham.

Lincolnshire, Wednesday, July 22, at Lincoln.
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City of Lincoln, the same day, at the City of Lincoln.

Yorkshire, North and East Riding Division, Tuesday, July 28, at the Castle of York.

City of York, the same day, at the Guildhall of the said City.

Yorkshire, West Riding Division, Monday, August 3, at Lecds.

NORTHERN CIRCUIT.

Mr. Justice Archibald. Mr. Baron Pollock.

Westmorland, Saturday, July 4, at Appleby. Durham, Tuesday, July 7, at Durham.

Northumberland, Monday, July 13, at the Castle of Newcastle-upon-Tyne.

Newcastle-upon-Tyne, the same day, at the Guildhall of the said Town.

Cumberland, Saturday, July 18, at Carlisle.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 19, 1874.

Foreign Office, May 23, 1874.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Edwin Corbett, Esq., now Her Majesty's Minister Resident and Consul-General to the Republics of Guatemala, Costa Rica, Honduras, Nicaragua, and Salvador, to be Her Majesty's Minister Resident to the Swiss Confederation.

The Queen has also been graciously pleased to appoint Sidney Locock, Esq., now Secretary to Her Majesty's Embassy at Constantinople, to be Her Majesty's Minister Resident and Consul-General to the Republics of Guatemala, Costa Rica, Honduras, Nicaragua, and Salvador.

Foreign Office, June 15, 1874.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint the Honourable William Nassau Jocelyn, now Secretary to Her Majesty's Legation at Berne, to be Secretary to Her Majesty's Embassy at Constantinople.

(H. 3917.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, S.W., June 17, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Minister at Rio, enclosing copy of an Imperial Decree respecting Brazilian merchant shipping and the coasting trade of the Brazilian Empire. A translation of the Decree is appended:—

(Translation).

Decree No. 5,585, of 11th April, 1874.

Orders to be put in force the Regulation of this date, concerning the national merehant shipping, the industry of ship-building, and the coasting trade.

It is my pleasure that the Law No. 2,348 of the 25th August, 1873, Art. 11, sec. 5, be put in force, observing the Regulation given below respecting the national merchant shipping, the industry of ship-building, and the coasting trade.

Let the Viscount do Rio Branco, President of the Council of Ministers, Minister and Sccretary of State for Financial Affairs, and President of the Tribunal of the Treasury, so have understood it and cause it to be put in force.

Palace of Rio de Janeiro, of April, 1874, fifty-third of the Independence and of the Empire.

With the sign manual of His Majesty the Emperor,

VISCOUNT DO RIO BRANCO.

REGULATION for putting in execution the Law No. 2,348 of the 25th August, 1873, Art. 11, sec. 5, to which Decree No. 5,585 of this date refers.

CHAPTER 1.

Of Brazilian Vessels.

ART. 1. No merchant vessel shall be declared to be Brazilian unless the same be competently registered as the exclusive property of a Brazilian citizen, or of Brazilian citizens, even though they may reside out of the Empire; the condition of Art. 457, last part, of the Commercial Code (Law No. 2,348 of the 25th August, 1873, Act. 11, sec. 5, No. 8), being thus abrogated.

Sec. 1. Should the vessel have been constructed in a foreign country, the registry shall be made on view of the extraordinary passport treated of in Art. 147 of the Consular Regulation, No. 4,968 of the 24th May, 1872, and which ought to contain the specifications required by Art. 462 of the

Commercial Code.

Sec. 2. The captains, masters, and mates may be either natives or foreigners, provided that one-third, at least, of the whole crew be Brazilians (Law cited, Art. 11, sec. 5, No. 9). The Brazilian merchant vessels are not subject to the payment of anchorage dues in the ports of the Empire; and those vessels that are employed in

the coasting trade shall enjoy, besides this, the

following favours:-

Sec. 1. Exemption from certificates of discharge, and from all instruments of security and responsibility, of which Arts. 458, sec. 2, 501, and 645

of the Regulation of the Customs treat.

On verifying the fact that the said vessels did not discharge all or part of the goods of national produce and manufacture in the port of their des tination, the respective commanders shall incur a fine of from 5 to 20 dollars per package for not discharging them, and of from 5 to 20 per cent. on the value of the goods which are missing, should they have come loose in bulk—besides the export duty—as if they were to leave the country.

Sec. 2. Exemption from clearance in the Customs and Revenue Departments of the merchandize which they may carry to ports which have no Custom-house. A simple pass shall be given to shippers, signed by the Chief of the Department, or by the employé authorized by him, of the Fiscal Department of the port from whence the vessels took their departure, furnished with which they

may take their goods on board.

Sec. 2. The formalities of entry and departure, of which Arts. 18 and 19 of the Regulation of the Captaincies of the Ports, No. 447 of the 19th May, 1846, treats (Law cited, Art. 11, sec. 5,

No. 3), will be dispensed with.

Sec. 3. Exemption from military recruitment in favour of Brazilians belonging to the effective crew, who, only in case of war, shall be obliged to serve in the navy of the State (Law and Articles

cited, No. 10).

ART. 3. The captains or masters may freely engage the individuals who ought to compose their crews, save the limitations of Art. 1, sec. 3, of this Regulation, and that of Art. 499 of the Commercial Code.

The Captaincies of Ports will not take cognizance of the disputes that may arise on such agreements between the parties interested; the latter should

have recourse to the Commercial Judge.

ART. 4. On the departure of the vessel, the captain or master shall deliver to the Registering Officer of the port the list of his crew, which shall be dealt with as Art. 19 of the cited Regulation of the Captaincies of the Ports appoints.

CHAPTER 2.

Of the Building Yards.

ART. 5. Naval building yards are not subject to the impost on industries and professions; but they should be inscribed in the proper Departments with the declaration of their being exempt (Law No. 2,843 of 1873, Art. 11, sec. 5, No. 7).

ART. 6. The shipwrights and workmen who are constantly employed in those establishments shall be exempt from all National Guard service in time of peace (Law cited, Art. 11, sec. 5,

No. 5).

ART. 7. The first sale or equivalent act of a vessel built in a national yard is exempt from the duty on transmission of property (Law cited,

Art. 11, Sec. 5, No. 2).

ART. 8. The proprietors of ships built in the Empire, and of which the measurement is more than 100 metric tons, shall be entitled to a premium of 50 dollars per ton (Law cited, Art. 11,

Sec. 5, No. 2).

Sec. 1. The said premium shall be granted by the Minister of Finance, and paid in the National Treasury when the ships shall have been built in yards in the municipality of the capital, or that of the Province of Rio de Janeiro, and in the Treasuries of Finance Department when they shall have been built in the other provinces.

Sec. 2. For the granting of the premium the proprietor must present, besides the register, a certificate from the builder of the ship, and from the Fiscal Authority of the place where she was built, or, in default of this functionary, the municipal chamber of the district, stating that the hull and masts of the ships were prepared in the Empire. When the builder is also the proprietor of the ship, the second of the above documents will be sufficient.

ART. 9. The following are entirely exempt from

transference dues:—
1. The purchase of "Jangadas" and national fishing boats (Alvará of 20th October, 1842, sec. 4).

2. The purchase of steamers intended for the service of navigation companies authorized by law, and existing in the Empire, whether they are or are not built in national yards (Law No. 243 of 30th November, 1841, Article 27).

CHAPTER 3.

On Foreign Vessels.

ART. 10. Foreign vessels may continue freely to carry on the coasting trade of merchandize of national or foreign production between the ports of the Empire in which there may be a Customhouse, or a Customs' Revenue Department (Decree No. 3,631 of 29th March, 1866, Law No. 2,348 of the 25th August, 1873, Art. 11, sec. 5).

Excepting, as far as concerns the ports in which are Revenue Officers, the transport of foreign merchandize which has not yet paid duties on con-

sumption.

ART. 11. The owners or consignees of foreign ships which may conduct the coasting trade, shall sign an instrument of responsibility, in conformity with Art. 645 of the Regulation of the Customs, binding himself to pay the export duty of the national produce or manufacture which they may carry. For the calculation of the respective duty, the value given in the weekly tariff will serve as a basis.

The Fiscal Department in which the clearance paper is made, may insist on the said instrument of guarantee being also signed by a responsible bondsman, who will be personally answerable for

the obligation contracted.

ART. 12. For the annulling the instrument of which the preceding Article treats, the owner or consignee of the ship shall present a certificate of its having been actually discharged, passed by the Fiscal Department of the port of destination of the goods. That document shall be written by the Department which received it, on the margin of the said instrument.

Sole paragraph. The said certificate should be exhibited within the term of four months, which may be prolonged, should the motive be considered a sufficient one to be attended to, in the judgment of the Chief of the Department, to which Art. 11 refers, for two months longer; under penalty of the signers of the instrument of responsibility being subject to pay the export duty.

ART. 13. The foreign vessels employed in the coasting trade shall be freed from visit, prescribed in Art. 457 of the Regulation of 19th September, 1860, on proving by certificate that they were visited in the port of the Empire where they had to complete the discharge of the merchandise arrived from foreign ports, and

subject to the duties on consumption.

Sole paragraph. The said vessels shall also be exempt from the security required in Art. 501 of the cited Regulation of the Customs.

ART. 14. Foreign vessels may report their

entries in maritime ports, or those in the interior where there may not happen to be a Custom-house, or a Customs' Revenue Department, first obtaining the permit, of which Art. 318 of the Regulation of the Customs treats.

This permit may be granted by the Inspector of the Customs, under whose jurisdiction is the port of destination of the vessel, under the fol-

lowing circumstances :-

Firstly. For the discharge of foreign merchandise, which shall have already paid consumption duty.

Secondly. For loading, with destination to foreign ports, merchandise the produce or manu-

facture of the country.

ART. 15. In the second case of the preceding article foreign vessels should clear for export in the Custom-house which granted them the permit the merchandise which is the produce or

manufacture of the country.

The respective Inspector will take such measures as will best suit the fiscal interests in the manner of verifying the clearance referred to; he can appoint one or more employés to assist in loading, and in taking the account of the quantity as well as the quality of the merchandise shipped.

ART. 16. Save the modifications made by the present regulation all other dispositions in force respecting this service shall be applicable to the foreign vessels employed in the coasting trade.

General Dispositions.

ART. 17. The captains or masters of sailing vessels employed in the coasting trade shall be exempted from the obligation of making known the day of departure to the Administrations of the Post Offices, when they may be destined to

ports at which the mail transport service is

effected regularly by steamers or couriers.

ART. 18. The captains and masters of vessels in the coasting trade in general are likewise excused from soliciting the bill of health, of which Art. 42 of the Decree, No. 2,409 of the 27th April, 1859, treats, save in the case of a special order to the contrary, which may be issued by the Health Department of the port in cases of epidemic disorders.

ART. 19. The clearance of merchandise in transitu for re-exportation, reloading, or transportation coastwise shall continue to be made according to the instructions, No. 133 of 24th May, 1870, whether the vessels are foreign or national.

ART. 20. The Inspectors of Customs and of Revenue Departments will take such measures as may be most fit in order that the captains and masters of ships that perform the coast service shall return to the said Department the duplicates of the clearance papers of the merchandise shipped, with the proper receipt, in time for them to be sent, without fail, by the same ships to the Chief of the Fiscal Department of the port of destination, under a penalty, to the said captain or master, of subjecting himself to the fine incurred according to Art. 382 of the 19th September, 1860.

ART. 21. All depositions to the contrary are revoked.

Rio de Janeiro, 11th April, 1874.
VISCOUNT DO RIO BRANCO.

Admiralty, 16th June, 1874.

Staff Commander John P. Dillon has been allowed to assume the rank and title of Retired Com-

mander from the date of his retirement, viz.:-

the 29th April, 1874.

The date of the retirement of Chief Engineer Samuel Thomas Singer should be 17th April, 1874, instead of 30th March, as notified in the London Gazette of 31st March, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Harry Percy Dawson has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

Admiralty, 17th June, 1874.

The following Sub-Lieutenants have been promoted to the rank of Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet, with seniority of 15th instant:—

Sub-Lieutenants:

Arthur Napier Heathcote.

Powell Cecil Underwood.

George Huntingford.

Barton Rose Bradford.

Hans Hamilton Howard Brooke.

George Wilson.

George Henry Cherry.

Arthur Thomas Target.

William Harvey.

William Colvin Vashon Baker.

Charles Moore Luckraft.

Brownlow Erskine Maitland.

Francis John Hamilton Scott Napier.

Charles Henry Adair.

Alexander Rutherford Cockburn Hood.

Edward Noble Price.

Henry Louis Fleet.

George Keith Gordon.

The undermentioned Navigating Sub-Licutenants have been this day promoted to the rank

of Navigating Lieutenant in Her Majesty's Fleet, viz:—

Navigating Sub-Lieutenants:
James Edward Tully.
Henry Backler.
George Stephen Keigwin
William Way.
William Stainer.
Philip Daniel Ouless.
Henry George Hatch.

Admiralty, 18th June, 1874.

In consequence of the death of Rear-Admiral Frederick A. Campbell on the 10th instant, the following promotions have taken place, with seniority of 11th June, 1874:—

Captain John O. Johnson to be Retired Rear-Admiral.

Captain George Ommanney Willes, C.B., to be Rear-Admiral in Her Majesty's Fleet.

And, consequent on the above promotions, the undermentioned Captains on the Retired List have been advanced to the rank of Retired Rear-Admiral:—

Captains:

Matthew S. Nolioth.
Alexander B. Becher.
Henry Gage Morris.
Richard D. White.
Alan H. Gardner, C.B.
William J. S. Pullen.
Honourable George H. Douglas.
George Le G. Bowyear, C.B.
James Dirom.
Henry Croft.
Frederick A. B. Craufurd.

The undermentioned Officers have this day been promoted:—

William Nathaniel Covey, Esq., to be Chief Inspector of Machinery Afloat in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Orestes Nathaniel Brooker, Esq., to be Inspector of Machinery Afloat in Her Majesty's Fleet.

Mr. Herbert Pitt to be Chief Engineer in Her Majesty's Fleet.

War Office, Pall Mall, 19th June, 1874.

57th Regiment of Foot, Lieutenant William F. Wyndowe, from Adjutant, Recruiting District, to be Captain, vice W. A. R. Thompson, retired. Dated 13th May, 1874.

India Office, 18th June, 1874.

HER Majesty has been pleased to approve of the following promotions amongst the Officers of the Staff Corps, and of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, made by the Governments in India:—

BREVET.

To be Colonel.

Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Phayre Hildcbrand, Bengal Infantry. Dated 10th November, 1873.

To be Major.

Captain George Ward Chicheley Plowden, Bengal Staff Corps. Dated 4th April, 1874.

SUBSTANTIVE PROMOTIONS.

BENGAL STAFF CORPS.

To be Majors.

Captain (Brevet Major) Frederick Macdonald Birch. Dated 4th April, 1874. Captain John Withers McQueen. Dated 4th April, 1874.

Captain George Henry Welland Hoggan. Dated

4th April, 1874.

Captain Wynyard Battye. Dated 4th April, 1874.

Captain Charles Metcalfe Bushby. Dated 4th April, 1874.

Captain Thomas Cadell, V.C. Dated 17th April, 1874.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant William Maitland Meacham. Dated 17th April, 1874.

BENGAL ARMY.

ALTERATION OF RANK.

GENERAL LIST OF CAVALRY OFFICERS.

To rank as follows :-

Captain Charles Bell Horsbrugh, from 5th January, 1874.

Captain Richard Bernard Lockwood, from 7th

Ĵanuary, 1874.

Captain Robert Bartholomew, from 22nd January, 1874.

MADRAS STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Alexander Bulstrode Cumberlege. Dated 25th February, 1874.

Major William Mellish Parratt. Dated 25th February, 1874.

Major Douglas Standen. Dated 25th February, 1874.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant Charles Henry Sheppard. Dated 1st March, 1874.

MADRAS ARMY.

GENERAL LIST OF CAVALRY OFFICERS.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant (Brevet Captain) Alfred George Willoughby Hemans. Dated 2nd April, 1873.

BOMBAY STAFF CORPS.

To be Lieutenant-Colonels.

Major Robert Frederick Williams. Dated 3rd March, 1874.

Major (Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel) George Forbes Hogg. Dated 3rd March, 1874.

To be Majors.

Captain Julius Barras. Dated 14th March, 1874. Captain Charles Henry Harrison. Dated 20th March, 1874.

To be Captain.

Lieutenant John De Burgh Lynch. Dated 18th March, 1874.

County of Radnor.

Captain James Beavan to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 7th June, 1874.

Commissions signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Berwick.

Sir George Augustus Frederick Houston Boswall, Bart., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 12th June, 1874.

Major James Grant Suttie, younger, to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 12th June, 1874.

Archibald Campbell Swinton, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 12th June, 1874.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 23, 1874.

Downing Street, June 22, 1874.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Henry Connor, Esq., LL.B., to be Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the Colony of Natal.

Crown Office, June 22, 1874.

MEMBERS returned to serve in the present PARLIAMENT.

County of Durham.
Northern Division.

Charles Mark Palmer, of Newcastle-upon-Tyne, Esq., and

Sir George Elliot, of Houghton Hall, Bart., the previous election having been determined to be void.

(M. 8770.)

Marine Department, Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, June 17, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Note received by Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Copenhagen from the Director-General of the Danish Foreign Office, stating that the Royal Navy of Denmark have adopted the Signals of Distress and the Signals for Pilots set forth in Schedules 1 and 2 of "The Merchant Shipping Acts Amendment Act, 1873," and that their adoption by the Merchant Navy has been recommended by the Government.

(S. & C. 1232.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, June 22, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of an Order of the Spanish Government, adding minerals to the list of cargoes mentioned in Appendix 7 of the Spanish Customs' Regulations, which are allowed to be carried on to foreign ports without payment of duty, although entered on the ship's manifest as intended for a Spanish port.

(S. & C. 1242.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, June 22, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a new Customs' Tariff for the Brazilian Empire, to come into operation on the 1st July next, together with a copy of a Decree relating to the application of the Tariff. These documents and also an English summary of the Decree may be seen on application at the Statistical and Commercial Department, Board of Trade.

(S. & C. 1247.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, June 22, 1874.

A ROYAL Decree, dated the 3rd instant, has been published in the Italian Official Gazette, imposing a statistical duty on all foreign merchandise entering Italian territory and on all national or nationalised merchandise sent abroad. The duty is fixed at 10 centesimi per each package

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of whatever dimensions, per 1000 kilogrammes in the case of loose merchandise, and per head of horses, mules, asses, horned cattle, sheep, goats, and pigs, alive or dead. The duty is not chargeable in eases of temporary importation and exportation of animals for pasture or work, or of corn conveyed to mills for grinding.

(S. & C. 1250.)

Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, June 22, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received from the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Decree of the French Government, adding the Custom-houses of Dieppe, Jeumont, and Belfort to the list of those through which the importation of the oil and essence of petroleum and coal (huiles et essences de pétrole et de schiste) may be effected.

Admiralty, 19th June, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of the 1st August, 1860, 9th July, 1864, and 24th March, 1866, the undermentioned Officer having attained fifteen years' seniority as a Commander, has been allowed to assume the rank and title of a Retired Captain from the 16th instant:—

Commander Mareus E. Smithett.

Admiralty, 20th June, 1874.

The undermentioned Officers have this day been promoted to the rank of Captain in Her Majesty's Fleet:—

Commander Arthur R. Wright. Commander William R. Kennedy.

Admiralty, 22nd June, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Captain Thomas Cochran has been placed on the Retired List of his rank from the 16th instant.

War Office, 23rd June, 1874.

MILITIA.

Royal Cornwall Rangers.

For Lieutenant Horace Watson Prior to be Captain, dated 29th April, 1874, notified in the Gazette of 28th April, 1874,

Read, Lieutenant Horace Matson Prior to be Captain. Dated 29th April, 1874.

The Essex Rifles.

Lieutenant Frederick Clare Walter Parr, from the 1st Royal Lancashire Militia, to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th June, 1874.

Hereford.

Edward Scudamore Lucas, Esq, to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 24th June, 1874.

1st Royal Lancashire.

Lieutenant-Colonel the Honourable Frederick Arthur Stanley, from the 2nd Royal Lancashire Militia, to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Hansard, resigned. Dated 24th June, 1874.

4th Royal Lancashire.

Sub-Lieutenant James Kay to be Lieutenant. Dated 2nd July, 1873.

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Royal East Middlesex.

Edward Ellison Sutton Schuyler, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 24th

June, 1874.

Harry Abererombie Angelo, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 24th June, 1874.

3rd Middlesex, or Royal Westminster.

Charles Henry Sampson, late Lieutenant, 41st Foot, to be Lieutenant. Dated 22nd June, 1874.

1st Somerset.

Maitland Rossiter Coleman, late Lieutenant, 6th Dragoons, to be Lieutenant. Dated 24th June, 1874.

2nd Somerset.

William Squire, Brevet Major, late 91st Foot, to Le Captain. Dated 1st April, 1874.

1st Royal Surrey.

Captain Thomas Herbert Kingsford resigns his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1874.

William Frederick West, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 24th June, 1874.

Henry Frederick Compton Cavendish. Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 24th June, 1874.

5th West York.

John William Lodge, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 24th June, 1874.

Royal Aberdeenshire Highlanders.

Robert Townley Caldwell, Esq., to be Captain. Dated 24th June, 1874.

Edinburgh Artillery.

His Royal Highness Alfred Ernest Albert, Duke of Edinburgh, Earl of Kent and Earl of Ulster, K.G., K.T., G.C.S.I., G.C.M.G., P.C., Captain Royal Navy, to be Honorary Colonel. Dated 24th June, 1874.

Fife Artillery.

John Scott, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 24th June, 1874.

Renfrew.

Captain Edward Lambourne M'Dougal resigns his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1874.

Armagh.

Lieutenant Charles Stuart Miller resigns his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1874.

North Cork.

Captain the Honourable Edward FitzE. Burke Roche resigns his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1874.

Galway.

Captain John Ward Comyn is granted the honorary rank of Major. Dated 24th June, 1874.

Kilkenny.

Lieutenant William Percy Johnson resigns his Commission. Dated 24th June, 1874.

1st or South Tipperary Artillery.

Lieutenant Daniel Molloy Massy to be Captain. Dated 13th May, 1874.

North Tipperary.

Captain Henry Francis George Webster, half-pay, late 20th Foot, to be Captain. Dated 11th June, 1874.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Royal 1st Devon.

Lieutenant Francis Garratt to be Captain, vice John Garratt, resigned. Dated 24th June, 1874.

Royal North Devon.

George Christopher Davie, late Lieutenant Royal Artillery, to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 24th June, 1874.

North Somerset.

The Reverend William Marriott Leir to be Honorary Chaplain. Dated 24th June, 1874.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County Palatine of Durham.

Henry Edward Surtees, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 28th April, 1874.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 26, 1874.

Foreign Office, June 4, 1874.

THE Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint Alexander Turing, Esq., now British Vice-Consul at Rotterdam, to be Her Majesty's Consul for the Provinces of South Holland and Zealand, to reside at Rotterdam.

Foreign Office, June 16, 1874. .

The Queen has been graciously pleased to appoint John Edward Wallis, Esq., to be Legal Vice-Consul in Her Majesty's Consular Court at Cairo.

Foreign Office, June 23, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to approve of Mr. Guglielmo Clifford Knight as Consul at Capetown, with jurisdiction over the Colony of the Cape of Good Hope, including Port Natal, for His Majesty the King of Italy.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. G. Reid as Consul at Newcastle for His

Majesty the King of the Belgians.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Mr. William Forster as Vice-Consul at Dover

for His Majesty the King of the Hellenes.

The Queen has also been pleased to approve of Don Federico Cohen as Vice-Consul at Birmingham for the Argentine Republic.

India Office, June 24, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Mr. James Gibbs, of the Bombay Civil Service, to be a Member of Council at the Presidency of Bombay, vice Mr. Henry Pendock St. George Tucker.

(H. 4148.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, June 23, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Consul at Galveston, transmitting a copy of the following Proclamation made by the Governor of Texas, declaring quarantine for the Coast of that State:—

PROCLAMATION

by the Governor of the State of Texas.

To all to whom these presents shall come.

I, Richard Coke, Governor of Texas, by virtue of the authority vested in me by a Law of the Legislature of the State of Texas, approved June 10th, 1870, entitled "An Act authorizing quarantine on the coast of Texas, and elsewhere within the State," do hereby declare quarantine on the coast of Texas, and direct the authorities of every corporate town on the coast to carry out the provisions of the said Act.

Quarantine to extend to all vessels sailing from or touching at any seaport or coast south of north

latitude 25 degrees, to wit:

The western coast of Africa, the West India Islands, the eastern coast of South America, of Central America, and of Mexico, and from Key

West, Florida.

It is further directed, that the Health Officers at the respective ports, shall as soon as they are reliably informed of the existence of infectious or contagious diseases at any other port, city, town, or village, not herein specially included within this State, or out of it, declare vessels arriving from such places subject to quarantine, and to all regulations established for the enforcement of same.

This quarantine to commence on the first day of June, and continue until the first day of

November next, unless sooner suspended.

Vessels sailing from, or touching at any port, or any coast above-mentioned, and entering any port on the coast of Texas, during the continuance of quarantine of such port, if free from

disease, may be disinfected and relieved from detention or detained for a term that will make twenty days, from her departure, from the abovenamed infected ports or districts, at the discretion of the Health Officer. Vessels upon which contagious or infectious diseases appear, shall be detained for twenty-five days after all disease has disappeared from such vessel or vessels, and then allowed to pass.

Health Officers are directed also to provide and enforce such regulations as will prevent all com-

munication with vessels in quarantine.

These officers will also provide for the thorough disinfection of all vessels on which there has been any contagious or infectious disease before they are allowed to leave quarantine, all expenses necessary to such disinfection to be paid by the vessel.

Quarantine stations for enforcement of this proclamation are hereby established at Sabine Pass, Galveston Pass, Pass Cavallo, Aransas

Pass, and Brazos Santiago.

The quarantine station shall be established by the proper Health Officers at each of these passes, as near the outer bar as possible, looking to safety of vessels lying at anchor, and convenience in boarding same.

The Health Officer of Brazos Santiago shall also supervise vessels entering at the mouth of

the Rio Grande.

The Health Officer to be appointed by the corporate authorities of Galveston, is charged with the enforcement of this proclamation at Galveston Pass; the one to be appointed at Indianola, for Pass Cavallo; the one to be appointed, at Brazos Santiago and the mouth of the Rio Grande; Dr. James Saunders at Sabine Pass; and the one to be appointed at Corpus Christi for Aransas Pass.

The county authorities on the Rio Grande are authorized and directed, until this quarantine is suspended, to establish such regulations as will prevent the importation of disease into this State by land.

The authorities of all seaport towns are referred to the Acts of the Legislature, approved June 10th, 1870, August 13th, 1870, and May 4th, 1874, for such other information as they may re-

quire for their guidance.

In testimony whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the great seal of the State to be affixed, at the city of Austin, this 25th day of May, 1874, and of the Independence of the United States of America, the ninety-eighth, and Texas the thirty-ninth.

(L.S.) RICHD. COKE, Governor.

By the Governor,
A. W. DE BERRY,
Secretary of State.

(H. 4181.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, June 24, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, stating that at Calais and Brest vessels arriving from English ports will not be required to produce a bill of health.

(H. 4215.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, June 25, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a Despatch from Her Majesty's Ambassador at Paris, stating that the French authorities have officially announced that, until further notice, vessels arriving direct from ports in the British Isles at French ports on the Channel or on the Atlantic (de la Manche et de l'Ocean), will not be required to produce a bill of health.

(M. 9144.)

Marine Department, Board of Trade, Whitehall Gardens, June 25, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a copy of a Despatch from Her Majesty's Chargé d'Affaires at Lisbon, announcing that the Portuguese Government by a Decree of the 13th of last March, have ordered that the Signals of Distress and the Signals for Pilots, set forth in Schedules 1 and 2 of "The Merchant Shipping Acts Amendment Act, 1873," shall be adopted by the Portuguese Royal Navy and Merchant Service.

Admiralty, 24th June, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of the 1st August, 1860, 9th July, 1864, and 24th March, 1866, the undermentioned Officer, having attained fifteen years' seniority as a Commander, has been allowed to assume the rank and title of a Retired Captain, from the 23rd instant:—

Commander Augustus P. Arkwright.

Admiralty, 25th June, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 22nd February, 1870—

Lieutenant Frederick C. Law has this day been placed on the Retired List, and allowed to assume the rank of Retired Commander.

War Office, Pall Mall, 26th June, 1874.

- 4th Regiment of Dragoon Guards, Captain James Alexander Tait retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- Lieutenant John Robert Phelips Goodden retires from the Service receiving the value of a Cornetcy. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 4th Hussars, The surname of the Quartermaster is Leetch and not Leitch as stated in the Gazette of the 27th March, 1874.
- 9th Lancers, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel the Honourble Ivo De Vesci Twisleton Wykeham Fiennes retires on half-pay. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 10th Hussars, The transfer of Lieutenant William Edward Ker Fox, from the 21st Hussars, dated 13th June, 1874, is cancelled. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 12th Lancers, Lieutenant Edmund Morton Mansel-Pleydell resigns his Commission as Adjutant. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 13th Hussars, Lieutenant Arthur Cotton Beare retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 15th Hussars, Sub-Lieutenant John Henry Sewell to be Lieutenant. Dated 6th September, 1873, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to bear date 8th May, 1872.
- 19th Hussars, Serjeant-Major John White to be Quartermaster, vice W. Langdale, retired on half-pay. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- Scots Fusilier Guards, Captain and Lieutenant-Colonel George John, Lord Rosehill, retires

from the Service, receiving the value of his

Commission. Dated 27th June, 1874.

Lieutenant and Captain Gilbert Gordon Blane retires from the Service, receiving the value of an Ensigncy and Lieutenancy. Dated 27th June, 1874.

- 1st Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Victor Alexander Farquharson to be Lieutenant. Dated 29th May, 1872.
- 5th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Charles Gilbert Colvin Money to be Lieutenant. Dated 2nd November, 1872, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to bear date 29th May, 1872.
- 7th Foot, Lieutenant Charles Lysaght Mortimer to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant G. Barton, promoted Captain on half-pay. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 8th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Frederick James Whalley to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th June, 1872.
- 9th Foot, Captain Charles More Stockley, from the 101st Foot, to be Captain, vice A. F. B. Wright, who exchanges. Dated 27th June, 1874.

Sub-Lieutenant Frederic William Brewster to be

Lieutenant. Dated 29th May, 1872.

Lieutenant George Milward Griffin, from the 88th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice W. C. F. Kell, who exchanges. Dated 27th June, 1874.

- Sub-Lieutenant Francis William Egerton, from the 46th Foot, to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant J. E. MacDonnell, promoted. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 12th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Charles Donovan Cave to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th June, 1872.
- 13th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Richard Arthur

Herbert Townsend to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th June, 1873.

14th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Thomas Riehard Mills to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th June, 1872.

- Sub-Lieutenant Gerald Grant-Dalton to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th June, 1872.
- 17th Foot, Captain Henry Lewis Brooke White has been permitted to adopt the surname of "Brooke" in lieu of that of "White."
- 18th Foot, Lieutenant William Wylly Lawrence to be Adjutant, vice Lieutenant W. H. Herbert, promoted. Dated 1st June, 1874.
- 21st Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Frank Mardall to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th June, 1872.
- 22nd Foot, Captain Herbert Charles Patton to be Major, vice H. Proctor, retired. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- Lieutenant John Dallas Edge to be Captain, vice H. C. Patton. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- Sub-Lieutenant Francis William Bromfield to be Lieutenant. Dated 29th May, 1872.
- 23rd Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Llewellyn Griffiths to be Lieutenant. Dated 14th May, 1873, but his Commission as Lieutenant in the Army to bear date 8th June, 1872.
- 24th Foot, Lieutenant Thomas Carroll Dempster to be Captain, vice C. H. Harris, retired. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- 25th Foot, Lieutenant Henry Houlditch to be Captain, vice H. W. Scriven, retired. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- Sub-Lieutenant Robert John Romanes to be Lieutenant. Dated 29th May, 1872.
- 27th Foot, Lieutenant Philip Stainforth to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant R. W. E. White, promoted. Dated 12th May, 1874.

- 28th Foot, Major John Godfrey Day retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 31st Foot, Sub Lieutenant Peregrine Henry Thomas Fellowes to be Lieutenant. Dated 8th June, 1872.
- 41st Foot, Lieutenant Donald George Mackenzie has been appointed a Probationer for the Indian Staff Corps. Dated 22nd April, 1874.
- 42nd Foot, Licutenant Robert Charles Coveny to be Instructor of Musketry, vice Lieutenant W. Aitken, promoted. Dated 6th May, 1874.
- 43rd Foot, Lieutenant Arthur Fanshawe Waterloo Royle retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 46th Foot, Quartermaster John Dwyer retires on half-pay. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 47th Foot, Captain William Hare Larken, about to be appointed to the Militia, retires on half-pay. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 50th Foot, Captain Robert Bruce retires on full-pay. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- Lieutenant Edwin Thackwell, from half-pay, late 90th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice R. O. Richmond, promoted Captain on half-pay. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 57th Foot, Captain William Fræme Wyndowc retires on full-pay. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 60th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Arthur Powys Vaughan to be Lieutenant. Dated 29th May, 1872.
- 65th Foot, Captain William Gervase de la Poer retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 27th June, 1874.

- 72nd Foot, Captain Albert Tanner retires on temporary half-pay. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 75th Foot, Serjeant-Major John Cotton to be Quartermaster, vice Joseph Bowen, deceased. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 85th Foot, Captain Edward Musgrave Beadon to be Major, vice G. Thompson, retired on full-pay. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- Lieutenant Harry Harris-Burland to be Captain, vice E. M. Beadon. Dated 10th June, 1874.
- Sub-Lieutenant James Spens to be Lieutenant. Dated 29th May, 1872.
- 86th Foot, Lieutenant James Arnold Awdry retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 88th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Arthur Edgar Francis Noble Bredin to be Lieutenant. Dated 29th May, 1874.
- Lieutenant Waldegrave Charles Fearn Kell, from the 9th Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice G. M. Griffin, who exchanges. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- Lieutenant Thomas H. Cuthbertson retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 89th Foot, Lieutenant Edmund George Barrow, from the 102nd Foot, to be Lieutenant, vice A. G. Godwin-Austen, promoted. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 93rd Foot, Lieutenant William Mitchell-Innes retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 94th Foo', Lieutenant William James Fisher retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 27th June, 1874.

- 96th Foot, Lieutenant Noel Norcott Winter, from the 13th Foot, to be Lieutenant, in succession to Sub-Lieutenant H. H. Edwards, transferred to the 23rd Foot. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 99th Foot, Captain and Brevet Major Francis Seymour Gaynor retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 101st Foot, Captain Arthur F. B. Wright, from the 9th Foot, to be Captain, vice C. M. Stockley, who exchanges. Dated 27th June, 1874.
- 106th Foot, Lieutenant Edmund Rogers Coker to be Captain, vice Robert G. Westropp, deceased. Dated 30th May, 1874.

Lieutenant George Lewis Leeds retires from the Service, receiving the value of his Commission. Dated 27th June, 1874.

- 108th Foot, Sub-Lieutenant Arthur Walpole Edward Ravenscroft to be Lieutenant. Dated 29th May, 1874.
- 1st West India Regiment, Francis Charles Annesley, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant William Sloane Elderton, deceased. Dated 27th June, 1874.

John Wyndham Bredin, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant, in succession to Lieutenant H. G. Wilson, promoted. Dated 27th June, 1874.

UNATTACHED LIST.

To be Sub-Lieutenants.

Sub - Lieutenant Ralph Bromfield Willington Fisher, from the Royal Cumberland Militia. Dated 27th June, 1874.

Thomas Francis Archibald Kennedy, Gent. Dated

27th June, 1874.

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Edward Charles Mortimer Lushington, Gent. Dated 27th June, 1874.

Charles John Lewis Stuart, Gent. Dated 27th

June, 1874.

William Gilbert Mitchell-Innes, Gent. Dated 27th June, 1874.

Charles Henry Eastwick Lodwick, Gent. Dated

27th June, 1874.

George Halford D'Oyly, Gent. Dated 27th June, 1874.

James Bernard Nichols, Gent. Dated 27th

June, 1874.

John Montagu Rodney Eden, Gent. (India

Cadet). Dated 27th June, 1874.

John Watkins, Gent. (India Cadet). Dated 27th June, 1874.

CONTROL DEPARTMENT.

The second Christian name of Assistant-Controller C. K. Cleeve is Ker, not Kerr, as

previously stated.

The proper description of Assistant-Controller H. J. Wilkinson, on his transfer to the Control Department from the 9th Foot, from the 1st January, 1870, was Captain Henry John Wilkinson, and not as stated in the Gazette of the 23rd September, 1873.

Supply and Transport Sub-Department.

*To be Deputy Commissaries (Supernumerary).

Assistant Commissary Frederick William Page. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Assistant-Commissary John D. Thwaites. Dated

1st January, 1874.

Assistant-Commissary John S. Young. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Assistant-Commissary M. S. J. Woollett. Dated 1st January, 1874.

Assistant-Commissary James Dungey. Dated 1st January, 1874.

MEDICAL DEPARTMENT.

Surgeon George Carson Gribbon, M.B., to be Surgeon-Major, vice David Woods, retired on temporary half-pay. Dated 19th April, 1874. Surgeon John Joseph Crean, from half-pay, to

be Surgeon, vice Robert Adams, M.D.,

deceased. Dated 27th June, 1874.

Surgeon Thomas Wood, M.D., from half-pay, to be Surgeon, vice Florence Theobald McCarthy, deceased. Dated 27th June, 1874.

CHAPLAINS' DEPARTMENT.

Chaplain of the Third Class the Reverend G. C. Williams, M.A., to be Chaplain of the Second Class. Dated 14th May, 1874.

BREVET.

Captain John Matcham Isaae, half-pay, Unattached, to be Major. Dated 11th January, 1858.

Captain and Brevet Major John Matcham Isaac, half-pay, Unattached, to be Lieutenant-Colonel.

Dated 11th December, 1868.

Paymaster and Honorary Captain Aldborough Rundle, 23rd Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major. Dated 3rd June, 1874.

Captain Robert Bruce, 50th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major, on retiring on full-

pay. Dated 27th June, 1874.

Captain William Fræme Wyndowe, 57th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Major, on retiring

on full-pay. Dated 27th June, 1874. Quartermaster John Dwyer, 46th Foot, to have the honorary rank of Captain, on retiring on half-pay. Dated 27th June, 1874.

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Apothecary Francis Bormel Pereira, Madras Medical Establishment, to have the local and honorary rank of Surgeon. Dated 24th September, 1873.

Brevet Colonel E. H. C. Wintle should have been described as of the *Bengal* Staff Corps, in the

Gazette of the 13th June, 1873.

The undermentioned officers, having completed the qualifying service, to be Colonels:—

Lieutenant-Colonel William Anthony Gib, Madras

Staff Corps. Dated 4th April, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel William Thomas Freke Farewell, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 4th April, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel Arthur Chauncy Phillips, Madras Staff Corps. Dated 24th April, 1874.

The undermentioned promotion to take place Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces, consequent on the death of General Frederick Young, Bengal Infantry, on the 22nd May, 1874:—

Lieutenant-General Henry Lawrence, Bengal Infantry, to be General. Dated 23rd May, 1874.

The undermentioned Officers of Her Majesty's Indian Military Forces to have a step of honorary rank on retirement; viz.:—

Major Frederick George Hankin, Madras Staff Corps, to be Lieutenant-Colonel. Dated 27th June, 1874.

Captain Henry Clifford Robert Wigram Smith, Madras Infantry, to be Major. Dated 27th

June, 1874.

MEMORANDUM.

The undermentioned Officers retire from the

Service, receiving the value of their Commissions:—

Lieutenant-Colonel Richard Maunsell, half-pay, late 11th Foot. Dated 29th May, 1874.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Matcham Isaac, half-pay, Unattached. Dated

29th May, 1874.

Captain and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Charles Durie, half-pay, Unattached. Dated 12th June, 1874.

Captain William Sugden Jemmett, half-pay, late

15th Foot. Dated 12th June, 1874.

Lieutenant Eric Willoughby Osborne, half-pay, late 1st West India Regiment. Dated 12th June, 1874.

Commisssions signed by the Lord Lieutenant and High Steward of the Stewartry of Kirkcudbright.

Alfred Peter Constable Maxwell, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd June, 1874.

Richard Alexander Oswald, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd June, 1874.

Alexander William Maxwell Clark Kennedy, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd June, 1874.

Graham Hutchison, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd June, 1874.

William Gordon, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd June, 1874.

John Lindsay Scott, Esq., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 23rd June, 1874.

Dunean James Kay, Esq., to be Deputy Licutenant. Dated 23rd June, 1874.

Treasury Chambers, June 25, 1874.

THE Commissioners of Inland Revenue, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice, that the following employments in connexion with the Inland Revenue are withdrawn from Schedule A, and are added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of 4th June, 1870, viz.:—

The employments of—
Junior Warehouseman,
Charwoman,
Coal Porter,
Bookbinder, and
Sewer.

Also, that the following situation in the establishment of the same Revenue is withdrawn from Schedule A of the same Order, viz:—

The situation of Senior Warehouseman.

Civil Service Commission, June 24, 1874.

THE Civil Service Commissioners, with the concurrence of the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury, hereby give notice, that the following situation or employment in the Civil Service Commission is added to Schedule B of the Order in Council of the 4th June, 1870, viz.:—

The situation or employment of Charwoman.

FROM THE LONDON GAZETTE of JUNE 30, 1874.

Master of the Horse's Office, Royal Mews, Pimlico, June 29, 1874.

THE Queen has been pleased to appoint Lawrence George Drummond, Esq., to be Page of Honour to Her Majesty, vice George Walter Grey, Esq., resigned; to bear date from the 8th June.

India Office, June 27, 1874.

The Queen has been pleased to appoint Mr. George Gordon Morris, of the Bengal Civil Service, to be a Judge of the High Court of Judicature at Fort William, in Bengal.

Clarence House, St. James's, June 27, 1874.

His Royal Highness the Duke of Edinburgh has been pleased to appoint J. Fayrer, Esq., M.D., C.S.I., Honorary Physician to Her Majesty, to be Physician to His Royal Highness.

(H. 4296.)

Board of Trade (Harbour Department), Whitehall Gardens, June 29, 1874.

THE Board of Trade have received through the Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs a

Despatch from Her Majesty's Agent and Consul-General in Egypt, stating that a disease, supposed to be plague, had broken out at Merdj, in the Province of Benghazi. The Egyptian Government have consequently subjected all arrivals from the infected country to a quarantine of ten days. A Sanitary Commission has been sent from Benghazi to report on the matter, and in the event of the disease proving to be the plague, it is probable that a resolution will be passed by the Egyptian authorities to repel all arrivals by land and sea from the coast as far as Tripoli.

Admiralty, 26th June, 1874.

The promotion of Orestes Nathaniel Brooker, Esq., to be Inspector of Machinery Afloat, dated the 18th instant, has this day been cancelled.

Admiralty, 27th June, 1874.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Order in Council of the 26th June, 1867—

Retired Navigating Lieutenant John Molloy has been allowed to assume the rank and title of Staff Commander from the 20th instant.

In accordance with the provisions of Her Majesty's Orders in Council of the 22nd February, 1870, and 3rd March, 1873—

Paymaster William Henry Emes Mitchell has this day been placed on the Retired List of his rank.

War Office, Pall Mall, 30th June, 1874.

Royal Regiment of Artillery, Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Gustavus Hamilton Lockwood Milman to be Colonel, vice Sir John Miller Adye, K.C.B., placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles George Arbuthnot, C.B., to be Colonel, vice Frederick Alexander Campbell, C.B., placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st July. 1874.

Lieutenant-Colonel and Brevet Colonel Charles Richard Ogden Evans to be Colonel, vice Charles W. Younghusband, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Major Henry Heberden to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel Milman, promoted. Dated

1st July, 1874.

Major Henry Lowther Balfour to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet-Colonel Arbuthnot, C.B., promoted. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Major George Kepple Taylor to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Brevet Colonel Evans, promoted.

Dated 1st July, 1874.

Major Ferdinand Fitzroy (late Bengal), from the Supernumerary List, to be Major, vice Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel Bonham (late Bengal), who retircs on full-pay. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Captain Louis Charles Augustus Adrian de Cetto to be Major, vice Heberden, promoted. Dated

1st July, 1874.

Captain Henry Anderson to be Major, vice Balfour, promoted. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Captain Charles Trench, from the Supernumerary List, to be Major, vice Taylor, promoted. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Lieutenant Arthur Napier Pearse, on the Supernumerary List, to be Captain. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Lieutenant Charles Henry Spragge to be Captain, vice John Andrew Kelso, placed on the Supernumerary List. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Lieutenant William John Rose Harrison to be Captain, vice de Cetto, promoted. Dated 1st

July, 1874.

Lieutenant Alexander Grubb to be Captain, vice Anderson, promoted. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Lieutenant John Arthur Grattan, from temporary half-pay, to be Lieutenant, vice P. Lewes, promoted. Dated 1st June, 1874.

Quartermaster Matthew Robinson, from temporary half-pay, to be Quartermaster, vice Fyfe, who retires on half-pay. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Quartermaster-Serjeant William James Emby to be Quartermaster, vice Vignaux, who retires on

half-pay. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Serjeant-Major Robert Scott to be Quartermaster, vice Cochran, placed on half-pay. Dated 1st

July, 1874.

The first Christian name of Lieutenant Farmer is Francis, and not Thomas, as stated in the Gazette of the 28th October, 1873.

96th Foot.

The Queen has been graciously pleased to approve of this Regiment being permitted to bear upon its Second or Regimental Colour the honours and distinctions formerly borne by the old 96th Foot, which was disbanded in the year 1818; viz.:—The Sphinx, with the word "Egypt," also the word "Peninsula."

BREVET.

Major and Brevet Lieutenant-Colonel John Bon-

ham, Royal (late Bengal) Artillery, to have the honorary rank of Colonel, on retiring on full-

pay. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Quartermaster Joseph Vignaux, Royal Artillery, to have the honorary rank of Captain, on re-

tiring on half-pay. Dated 1st July, 1874. Quartermaster John Fyfe, Royal Artillery, to have the honorary rank of Captain, on retiring on half-pay. Dated 1st July, 1874.

MEMORANDUM.

Riding-Master William Norton, half-pay Royal Artillery, has been permitted to commute his retired allowance. Dated 30th May, 1874.

War Office, 30th June, 1874.

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Royal Cumberland.

Alexander Russell, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 19th June, 1874.

2nd, or North Durham.

Major James John Allison to be Lieutenant-Colonel, vice Bolton, resigned. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Captain William Kipling Rowlandson resigns his

Commission. Dated 1st July, 1874.

West Kent.

Henry Streatfeild, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Herbert Vaughan Friend, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Kent Artiller;

Sab-Lieutenant Thompson Hunter to be Lieutenant. Dated 22nd November, 1873.

Royal London.

Walter Scott Mackenzie, late Captain S4th Regiment to be Captain. Dated 16th June, 1874.

East York.

Captain John McCreery resigns his Commission. Dated 1st July, 1874.

6th West York.

Henry Willoughby Trevelyan, late Lieutenant. 3rd Hussars, to be Captain. vice Garnham, promoted. Dated 1st July, 1874.

The Royal Aberdeenshire Highlanders.

Lieutenant George Cosmo Abercromby resigns his Commission. Dated 18th March, 1874.

Alexander Gordon, Gent.. to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Highland Borderers Light Infantry.

Captain Thomas Macdonald Parry resigns his Commission. Dated 1st July, 1874.

The Highland Light Infantry.

Lieutenant Charles Duff to be Captain. Dated 12th June, 1874.

Caran.

Lieutenant-Colonel Thomas, Marquis of Headfort, resigns his Commission. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Clare.

Marcus Windham Paterson, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st July, 1874.

Royal Dublin City.

Sub-Lieutenant John Carmichael resigns his Commission. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Galway.

Lieutenant Jonathan Hardinge Walker resigns his Commission. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Londonderry.

Lieutenant Henry Lambert Pilkington resigns his Commission, also is granted the honorary rank of Captain, and is permitted to continue to wear the uniform of the Regiment on his retirement. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Roscommon.

Sub-Lieutenant Charles Edward Hawkes resigns his Commission. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Charles Ouvry Collier, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st July, 1874.

Sligo.

Alexander Arbuthnot Barker, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 15th June, 1874.

Royal Tyrone Fusiliers.

William Francis Fawcett, Gent.. to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st July, 1874.

Tyrone Artillery.

Gerald Lionel Joseph Goff, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant (Supernumerary). Dated 1st July, 1874.

Westmeath.

Sub-Lieutenant Edward Battersby to be Lieutenant. Dated 1st April, 1874.

YEOMANRY CAVALRY.

Berks.

Captain Albert Richard Tull resigns his Commission. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Gloucestershire.

Lieutenant Lord Henry Richard Charles Somerset resigns his Commission. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Montgomeryshire.

Captain Robert Davies Jones resigns his Commission. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Captain Edmund E. Peel resigns his Commission. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Pembroke.

John Frederick Lort Phillips, Gent., to be Sub-Lieutenant. Dated 19th June, 1874.

North Somerset.

Sub-Lieutenant Sir Thomas Johnston Dancer, Bart., resigns his Commission. Dated 1st July, 1874.

West Suffolk.

Lieutenant William H. Rodwell to be Captain. Dated 1st July, 1874.

Commission signed by the Lord Lieutenant of the County of Stafford.

Robert Heath, Esq., M.P., to be Deputy Lieutenant. Dated 13th June, 1874.

